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Last Straw Breaks Driver's Heart

Truck driver Leonard Reikki's hopes for a happy new year . . . and maybe some of his resolutions, too . . . went by the board today when the last few pounds loaded on his truck proved just beyond its limit of endurance and it balked. Right

up on its hind wheels it went, and tossed the driver's cabin high. Tenmynson Avenue was littered with garbage but the truck was undamaged and Reikki, except for his feelings, was unhurt. (Times Photo.)

MONTREAL POLICE TACKLE CODED DOCUMENTS

Greek's Death Leaves Clues To What May Be Red Conspiracy

MONTREAL (BUP)—The anti-subversive squad began a giant translation job today after the rooming-house death of a Greek immigrant uncovered stacks of coded documents believed part of an international Communist conspiracy.

Two hundred loose-leaf books and 50 notepads were found in the room where Constantini Stathopoulos, 60, died Saturday night apparently from natural causes. A steamer trunk contained a submachine gun and 200 rounds of ammunition and a machete.

Capt. Louis Champagne and Lieut. Boyczum of the city police anti-subversive squad said the documents and letters were from "every country behind the Iron Curtain" including Red China and North Korea.

Boyczum said a tentative check on the writings made it clear that "this guy was wrapped up in a major Communist conspiracy."

He said one notebook found in the room contained names of anti-Communist Greeks "marked for liquidation if the Communists took over that country."

Stathopoulos was a card-carrying member of the Canadian Labor Progressive (Communist) Party.

"Judging from what we found the man we knew for three years as Costa Poulos was one of the big boys of a Commie organization with connections in at least 20 countries," Boyczum told the British United Press.

"It will take us at least a month to read through it all, and even then we won't be finished. We found a submachine gun and 200 bullets at the bottom of a steamer trunk. We unearthed a wicked-looking, machete sharp as a razor. There was enough Red propaganda to stock a lending library."

"And there's no telling how long it will take to figure out the stuff written in about 50 notebooks and 200 loose-leaf books. A lot of it is handwritten in Greek, and a translator told us some of the Greek is in code."

Anti-subversive squad officers were called in when detectives made a routine check of a report of the Greek's death.

JOINED PARTY 1930

They found papers, including Stathopoulos' membership book in the Labor-Progressive Party, in bags under the bed and in a cupboard.

The LPP book showed that the heavily-built Greek joined the party about 1930. Old travel documents showed he made several trips to the United States, and other papers identified him as chief Canadian agent for a Greek-language Communist newspaper published in New York.

Let It Rain, Let It Blow—Winnipeg Is Seventeen Below

WINNIPEG (CP)—Winnipeggers received their first real taste of winter today when mercury dipped to 17 below zero at 7 a.m., lowest temperature of the season here.

After experiencing one of the mildest winters to date for several years, early-morning workers were quick to don heavier clothing and ear muffs as she weather man predicted a high of only zero for today.

Previous low this winter was eight below, Dec. 18.

U.K. Against Spreading Korean War—Churchill

British Leader Meets With Eisenhower Today

NEW YORK (AP)—Winston Churchill arrived in the United States today with this firm declaration: Britain wants no extension of the war in Korea.

Shortly thereafter, arrangements were announced for Britain's prime minister to meet with President-elect Dwight D. Eisenhower later today.

The announcement said Churchill and Eisenhower will meet at the home of financier Bernard Baruch, where Churchill is staying on his visit here. The two will dine together tonight. Baruch lives about a mile from Eisenhower's Hotel Commodore headquarters.

As a prelude to the meeting, Churchill told a shipboard press conference that resistance to aggression in Korea had helped lessen the danger of a Third World War.

He said the Korean war means "that Soviet aggression has been resolutely and fully confronted." "That has been the greatest event of the past five years," he said.

Churchill said Britain is against any "definite extension" of the Korean war.

He expressed distress with U.S. trade tariffs, and said the U.S. failed to fully share its atomic information with Britain. Churchill declined to indicate what subjects his talks with Eisenhower will cover.

Churchill told reporters that prospects for peace this year "certainly are not less encouraging than they were in 1952."

To a newspaper man who wanted to know whether the danger of world war had subsided, the prime minister replied quickly:

"Leave out the word subsided for the word receded."

Churchill, making his 12th visit to the U.S., looked jaunty in a black outfit and yachting cap.

Concerning the Korean war, the prime minister said: "We must go on and hold our position—this doesn't mean there will be no improvement in the situation."

Asked whether Britain opposed any moves to extend the conflict, Churchill said: "I think it would be a great pity for the United Nations armies—or the United States armies—to go wandering about all over vast China—or to make any definite extension of the war."

He said there are "worse things than a stalemate," such as prevails in Korea. "There's a checkmate," he said.

Churchill said Korea has brought "consolidation of the chances for world peace," by uniting the free nations against aggression and by sparking a Western military build-up.

But Korea must not divert the free nations from the "real centre of gravity," which he believed is "along the frontiers of the Iron Curtain in Europe."

Asked about economic relations between Britain and the U.S., Churchill said: "Our views are very simple. We don't want to live on you. We want to earn our own living. . . . But if you shut the door and won't take anything that we want to make, it is hard to see how the unsatisfactory situation can be avoided or how we can find our real strength. That's what we mean by trade, not aid."

His remarks referred to U.S. tariffs which make the import of some British products unfeasible. More than 200 reporters and photographers crowded into the Queen Mary's veranda grill for the press conference.

As it opened, he took a few puffs on his cigar, laid it aside, and began: "I hope you've had a good year. We haven't had a bad one. The general state of health on the other side of the ocean is at least as good as it was last year."

Questioned about British atomic developments, Churchill remarked that the U.S. had not stuck to the promise made by the late President Roosevelt to exchange with Britain the "fullest information" about the atomic bomb.

"We want to be a useful partner," Churchill said. "We don't want to ask anything that would not be of common benefit."

A picket line of about 25 men and women marched outside the pier as the Queen Mary docked. They identified themselves as members of the American-Irish Minute Men of 1945.

They bore signs with slogans such as "Unite, Ireland," and "England got \$35,000,000 from the U.S.A. Pay your taxes, suckers."

Settle Strike Of Workers at Hart Dam Site

CAMPBELL RIVER—Work resumed today on the power house extension and pipe line at the Hart Dam, idle since Dec. 10 because of a dispute between three TLC unions and Campbell-Bennett Ltd., contractors.

About 150 men were affected. Agreement was reached on the weekend between Vancouver Teamsters and Operating Engineers to cover all Campbell-Bennett projects in B.C.

Victoria Laborers' Union Local 1093 has an agreement that will affect all the company's projects on Vancouver Island.

COMPETITION FOR SHAMROCKS?

Foul Bay Will Seek Lacrosse Franchise

By BILL WALKER

Victoria lacrosse fans may have more than the Shamrocks to root for in the Intercity League this year.

Alex Macdonald, manager of the Foul Bay team of the city Senior B League, today disclosed that he definitely will apply for an Intercity League franchise on behalf of his club.

"I feel I definitely owe it to each and every player on the Foul Bay Club, Macdonald said, 'particularly because of their past record.'"

"Also," he added, "that with some additional player help, I feel to see how such an application can be refused."

Macdonald admitted that he was already making overtures towards securing such assistance he feels necessary to make the Foul Bay team a contender.

"If we don't make an application this year, then the only other alternative is to break up the team," he said.

Foul Bay last year won the island and coast senior B lacrosse championships and the previous season, the island title.

Macdonald has tendered his resignation as vice-president of the Shamrocks, the city's representative in the Intercity League for the past three seasons.

It is expected that Foul Bay's application will be considered at the annual Intercity League meeting to be held later this month.

Dies of Seizure

Mitchell Hepburn, 56, former premier of Ontario, died today at St. Thomas, Ont., of a heart attack. (See story page 3).

Four Missing Edmonton Plane

EDMONTON (CP)—The RCAF was standing by today to search for four persons missing since Friday aboard a single-engine Stinson aircraft of McMurray Airways on a flight from Fort McMurray, Alta., to Martin Lake near Goldfields, Sask.

HOSPITAL 'DISTRICTS' PROPOSED

Would Operate Like School Boards

VANCOUVER (CP)—Hint that the B.C. government may be considering setting up compulsory hospital districts with tax resources similar to school boards was laid before 80 hospital administrators today by A. H. J. Swencisky, president of the B.C. Hospital Association.

The administrators, holding their annual meeting, were asked for their opinions on such a proposal but "postponed voting on the matter until after a meeting with Health Minister Eric Martin."

Similar hospital districts are in effect in Alberta, also under a Social Credit government.

The minister gave the administrators little hope that the government's "hold the line" hospital policy would be relaxed during the coming year.

He told the delegates their hospitals would get every help the government could give them "except money."

This was greeted with loud laughter.

He went on: "Unofficially I say we are not going to let you down. But you must surely realize the time has come when we must contribute our part toward stopping the inflationary process of our time."

If the cut hadn't come this year it would have come next year, he said.

He gave a warning that as minister he could not interfere in any wage negotiations between hospitals and employees.

Purge Shapes In E. Germany

BERLIN (UP)—East German Communists have accused two party leaders of being Zionist American agents, probably as the introduction to a German Communist Anti-Semitic purge trial.

The indicated purge of East German Reds probably will involve former Soviet zone propaganda chief Gerhart Eisler, who was fired last week, observers said. Eisler is a Jew.

The East German Communist party central committee also accused lesser German Reds in a resolution which tied the Germans to the November trial in Prague of former secretary general of the Czech Communist party Rudolf Slansky and former Czech Foreign Minister Vladimir Clementis.

The resolution, published in the Communist party newspaper Neues Deutschland, accused Paul Merker, 49, one-time Politburo member, and Kurt Mueller, deputy chief of the West German party, with being American agents. Zionists, Titoists and Trotskyites.

ELIZABETH COINS AVAILABLE AT LOCAL BANKS IN FEW DAYS

No Queen Elizabeth coins are available in Victoria yet but bankers expect to have some on hand within two or three days.

City bank managers report they have been officially advised that supplies of the newly-minted silver pieces have been shipped to the west coast and are available at the B.C. branch of the Bank of Canada in Vancouver.

Strong demand appears to be building up locally for the new coins, according to the many inquiries already received at bank branches.

VANCOUVER, B.C. (BUP)—A heavy run on Vancouver banks occurred today but there was no panic.

Customers swarmed in to buy the new Queen Elizabeth coins which went on sale for the first time. Within half an hour, one bank sold \$800 worth. By noon, there was hardly a piece of the currency left in bank tills, a survey showed.



Folks say they're goin' 't git dog racin' here, but I ain't bettin' on it. Won't be bettin' on 't dogs either—unless they change th' law.

Britain views th' Korean war like a feller who's just raked himself up a big leaf pile. Don't want any huffin' an' puffin' 't spread it around.

M' friend Sandy thinks a sled makes a fine Christmas gift fer his son. He wraps up th' same sled ev'ry year an' gives it t' him, still unused.

16-YEAR-OLD SUICIDE BLAMES TV 'BLASTING'

TACOMA (AP)—Blaming her troubles on television, a 16-year-old high school girl ended her life Sunday with a single shot from a .22 rifle, police said.

Continuous "blasting" of her parents' set, she claimed in a farewell note, kept her from her studies and "make my head hurt."

The girl, Leoma Schaefer, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Schaefer, was dressed in green silk pyjamas and lying across her bed when discovered by her mother.

N.Y. Strike Ties Up 3,500,000 Travelers

NEW YORK (UP)—New Yorkers going to work today faced a subway traffic jam that may go down as the worst in the city's history.

Striking bus drivers who caused the snafu meanwhile promised to stay off the job until the flames of hell freeze over if necessary.

An estimated 3,500,000 persons who ordinarily ride buses to work became displaced persons in the city's already crowded transportation system when drivers on 127 bus routes quit working. Although the strike began four days ago its full effect was not felt until today.

Convening of high school classes throughout the affected areas was postponed an hour

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ON THE TIMES

By ART STOTT

The kids went to see Esther Williams swimming picture during the holidays and thought it was swell, but...



"She swam with her head up," said the older and more critical daughter. "Right out of the water, she had it, turning around and smiling. It's a nice face—good to look at—but that's not the way Archie tells us to swim."

Phil Lee, who looks at these things from a more appreciative angle, weighing art against technique, wouldn't concur too heartily with elder daughter. He'd say a face like Esther's shouldn't be kept under water. Anytime it's not on view the film is denied that much attractive footage.

Phil was impressed by the magnificent photography when a group of aqua-chorines came flying out of a hazy background on trapezes, let go and floated to the pool below. Elder daughter, noted the spectacle, too. "They all hit at different times. They shouldn't do that, should they?"

And when the picture went back to the Annette-Kellerman theme, on which it's reportedly based, elder daughter wanted to know about the evolution of the Australian crawl leg action. "When she was swimming, she kicked one scissor and two flutters. Did they ever do that?" she asked.

Yes, elder daughter, they did. Audrey Griffin who converted from trudgeon, which was a stroke considerably before your time, to crawl, used to use that leg action well enough to lick a lot of the best in the Northwest. At times she'd also swim a straight crawl.

So let's not be too aquatically snobbish about this swimming business, elder daughter. It was a picture you went to see, remember?

Thank You, Annette

And whether or not you figure Annette Kellerman should be mentioned in the same breath with Ann Curtis and the Dusea girls, remember Annette made a great contribution to swimming.

Before Miss Kellerman's time your grandmother and her generation went down to the sea in shapes that would make your eyes bug out. Just look at the swimming groups in the old family album and you'll appreciate Annette. You'll find Grandma in a creation that did everything it could to encourage drowning. There was enough material in it, with skirt and fancy bloomers, elbow length sleeves and flowered hat, to make a circus tent.

Annette changed all that. All Annette wore, if memory serves, was something that looked like a long, skin-tight black union suit from the tips of her little pink toes to a high neckline—no flounces, no frou-frous.

If it hadn't been for Annette, you probably wouldn't be swimming these days in a suit that looks like a thin layer of black paint from here to here, and Marilyn Monroe wouldn't be trying to convince movie magazine readers that Gunga Din was over-dressed.

Annette played her part in the evolution of swimming and pictures. You wouldn't know the daring of her first high plungers. You never saw her lifted on a trapeze from a pool that looked like the pond below Little Niagara. You never held your breath until she seemed to reach the clouds before she dived down, and down, and down.

You wouldn't be impressed. You know more about angle shots. You've seen cameramen make a pole vaulter look as if he'd just dropped out of heaven when his maximum height was around 15 feet.

Keep It Friendly

Keep your critical faculties within the bounds of modesty, elder daughter, but don't lose them.

Maybe if you'll concentrate a little more on some of the other stuff that comes out of Hollywood you'll draw more benefit from analysis. Dig into that poor-boy-makes-good-marries-rich-girl theme. Spade over those shots of wealth and luxury that emerge from producers' minds. Pick out the phony plots and atmosphere. That'll give you plenty of mental exercise. And don't be too tough on Esther and Annette. They were both pretty good swimmers. And if some of the sequences seem painful, don't let them throw you. There's lots worse to see that ought to be criticized.

Republican Congress Marks Time Waiting Ike Tomorrow

WASHINGTON (AP)—Members of the new Republican Congress marked time today, awaiting Tuesday's ceremony which will formally elect Dwight D. Eisenhower as President of the United States.

The Senate and the House of Representatives, which convened and organized last Saturday, will meet jointly Tuesday to tabulate the electoral votes and officially declare Eisenhower and Richard M. Nixon the next President and Vice-President.

The new 83rd Congress will mostly mark time until Eisenhower is inaugurated two weeks from Tuesday.

Two presidential messages are due later in the week, one transmitting President Truman's budget for the fiscal year starting July 1, and the other outlining his views on the condition of the country.

The state-of-the-union message is expected Wednesday. The budget message is due Friday. Neither will be delivered personally by the President. A third message, an economic report, may reach Congress early next week.

Congress probably won't pay much heed to any of the three, waiting instead for Eisenhower's recommendations.

Senator Styles Bridges, Rep. N.H., said Sunday he expects Eisenhower, shortly after being inaugurated, to address a joint congressional session and present his own state-of-the-union message.

"I think," Bridges added, "that it will differ from Truman's."

The United States has a total of 19,796 theatres with seating capacity of 12,384,150 persons.

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'YOUNG MAN IN A HURRY'

Churchill's Health Appears 'Rugged'

Famed War Leader's Appearance Belies Rumors Ready to Retire

By PHIL NEWSOM
United Press Foreign News Editor

For a man who has been rumored about ready to retire, Winston Churchill doesn't seem to be playing the part.

In fact, he shows no signs at all of quitting.

His present trip to Jamaica via New York and Washington is billed as a "vacation."

But all the way across the Atlantic aboard the Queen Mary he kept seven secretaries busy as he divided his time between dictating his memoirs and handling affairs of state.

He also found time to lift a champagne toast to the New Year and to tell gay New Year's Eve celebrators aboard ship:

"We will all continue to go forward to bind the British-speaking world and the great republic of the United States together."

It was a concise statement of one of Churchill's basic ambitions and one which he believes he can carry out better than anyone else.

Churchill is at his best when in the complete service of the British Empire. And the health, which seemed to ebb as long as he was out of office, now seems as rugged as ever.

United Press Correspondent Peter Webb, the only press association reporter aboard the Queen Mary during Churchill's crossing, described his New Year's Eve appearance this way:

"Cigar in hand and champagne glass before him, a dogged, dinner-jacketed figure more like his wartime self than for many years."

Even before the year 1900 rolled around, a British writer dubbed Churchill the "young man in a hurry."

The phrase stuck and is still apt.

Hurried-Trip in Bad Taste?

Many British newspapers criticized Churchill's present trip to see President-elect Eisenhower as being in so much of a hurry as to be in bad taste.

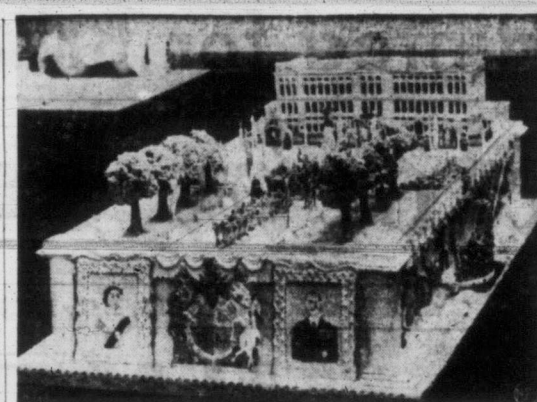
It is being billed stubbornly as a social visit, which later will also include President Truman. And it is true that no world-shaking public announcement can be expected to come from it. But it may be considered certain that the two will not confine their remarks to the weather.

Eisenhower has made his Korean trip since his last meeting with British Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden.

That alone would give the two men something to talk about, and for Churchill to sound out the president-elect about his ideas for bringing the Korean war to a successful conclusion. The British still fear the United States will lead them into an all-out Asian war.

Therefore, Churchill will want to sound a note of caution.

The game of tennis was purely an amateur sport until 1926.



Coronation Confection

On display in Brighton, England, this huge cake is a detailed model of part of the forthcoming coronation ceremonies for Queen Elizabeth II. The royal delicacy, which represents Buckingham Palace with the coronation procession moving down the mall before it, took 250 working hours to make. Everything is edible, except the cavalymen's swords and part of the palace railings.

Howe Takes Off for Trade Junket to Latin Americas

OTTAWA (BUP)—Trade Minister C. D. Howe and seven top-flight Canadian businessmen took off on a trade mission to Latin America today to seek new products for the Canadian market and expand Canada's exports to South America.

Howe said before he and the party boarded the RCAF's luxurious C-54 liner at Rockcliffe airport that the purpose of the trip was "to call on our customers and look around at the markets."

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Consumer Prices Believed Stabilizing at High Level

OTTAWA (CP)—Consumer price index increased one-tenth of a point to 116.1 from 116; the old index declined to 184.8 from 185, continuing a four-month drop.

After some relatively sharp ups and downs, the new index slipped from its peak of 118.2 in December, 1951, and entered a period of stability last May.

There are no indications of any sharp fluctuations for the November index which may be published Tuesday or Wednesday.

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Published simultaneously with the new index, based on 1949 prices equalling 100, will be the old cost-of-living index based on 1935-39 prices. Publication of the old index may be discontinued in March.

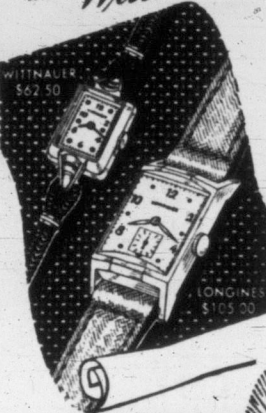
During October the consumer price index increased one-tenth of a point to 116.1 from 116; the old index declined to 184.8 from 185, continuing a four-month drop.



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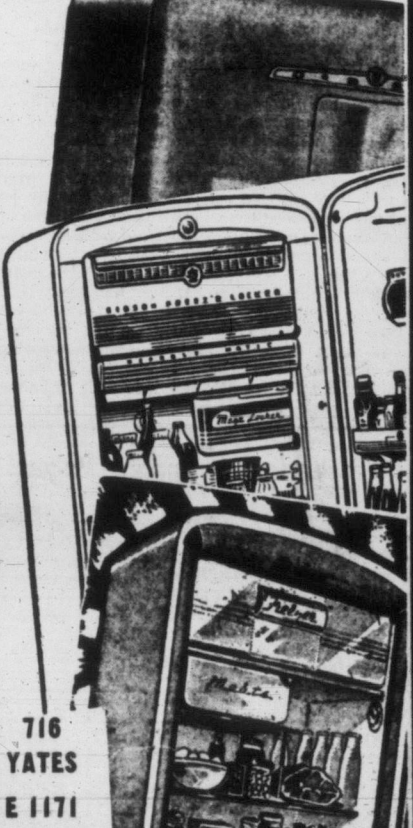
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Curling Tips

By BONSPIELER

This is the sixth in a series dealing with the fine points of curling, written by a man who is well versed in the game that is growing in interests on Vancouver Island.

The instructional articles each dealing with a single facet of the mechanics of curling, will appear in the Times regularly, and are guaranteed to make a first-class curler out of the most inexperienced novice if they are followed religiously.

Cut them out and save them—they may save your game.

TO SLIDE OR NOT TO SLIDE?

The sliding delivery used by many curlers like myself in the past 20 years has been the subject of many heated arguments. Last year the Dominion Curling Association rules committee, in bringing in its recommendations for revision of existing rules governing the game in Canada, included a provision that would have enforced the rule which demanded that any player release the handle of his stone before he crossed the tee line. A long and almost bitter discussion ensued over this rule, and as one of the originators of the slide delivery, I fought strongly against such a rule being enforced.

Yet, paradoxical as it may sound, I am strongly and emphatically opposed to any young curler using the slide delivery until he has curled for at least two years. As late as three years ago, I did not share this view, but lately, after watching hundreds of lads try to slide before they had learned how to deliver a stone properly from the hack, I am forced to this conclusion. It is almost beyond belief to witness the terrible atrocities committed on the ice which have been dubbed "sliding deliveries" by the misinformed. Riders, pushers, drifters, and swivellers have all been termed unskillfully as sliders. Nothing is further from the truth.

The true slide is a follow-through after a swing delivery. This is borne out by two interesting facts. First, Grant Watson and I played our first two years wearing rubbers and swinging from the hack without a slide. This was not premeditated, because the long slide was unknown in those days. We tried sliding after we had learned the proper mechanics of delivery. Secondly, and to my mind a much more convincing argument, Ken Moir, coach of the Gary Thorne rink of Saskatoon, whose boys achieved the miracle of winning two Canadian school championships successively under his expert tutelage, would not allow his proteges to slide until the end of their second year of curling. Now they slide as far as anyone, and their accuracy would make any good curler envious. Think that over, boys, before you slide yourself out of the curling rink.

MITCHELL HEPBURN DIES OF SEIZURE

Colorful Former Ontario Liberal Premier Passes at 56; Feuded With Mackenzie King

ST. THOMAS, Ont. (CP) — Mitchell Frederick Hepburn, 56-year-old stormy petrel of Ontario politics of a decade ago, died today of a heart attack.

Mr. Hepburn, Liberal premier of Ontario from 1934 to 1942, died in his sleep about 3.30 a.m. following an illness of about two days from a cold. He had been in poor health since leaving public life in 1945 and underwent several operations in the last few years.

Lately, however, he had improved and worked daily on his Elgin county onion farm.

In eight turbulent years Mr. Hepburn won international prominence. His flair for showmanship and his feud with the late Prime Minister Mackenzie King made his stay in office one that attracted the eyes of all Canada.

LOST HIS TOUCH

But after his dramatic resignation as premier and Ontario Liberal leader in 1942, he lost his vote-winning touch. After a short—and losing—return to politics in 1945, he virtually disappeared from the public eye.

The public never knew what to expect next after "Mitch" Hepburn came to power at the age of 37. While in office he denounced and canceled vast power agreements, challenged international waterways plans endorsed by Ottawa and the United States and went after millions of dollars in succession duties from large estates.

His feud with Mr. King, also heading a Liberal administration, resulted from a radical change of views. His relations with the prime minister ranged from enthusiastic support to bitter defiance and denunciation. From his Ontario legislature seat he moved a resolution which became a factor in bringing about a wartime Dominion election.

His resignation in 1942 shook his party to its foundations. The next year he came back as an independent Liberal for Elgin. But his party was defeated in the 1945 provincial election, the year he returned to Liberal leadership and he suffered personal defeat in Elgin where he had won in two federal and three provincial elections.

One of the first steps of his government in 1934 was to permit sale of beer and wine in hotels, completing the job of wiping out prohibition started by the Conservatives in 1927. The Conservatives had legalized sale of intoxicants in government stores for home consumption.

Mr. Hepburn publicly berated the Congress of Industrial Organization and its "agitators" over the 1937 strike at the Oshawa plant of General Motors. He gave CIO organizers a blunt suggestion that they get out of the

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Ambassador Mayhew Arrives in Japan

Former Fisheries Minister Says He Hopes To Stimulate Trade Between Two Countries

TOKYO (AP) — Robert W. Mayhew, Canada's first ambassador to post-occupation Japan, arrived in Yokohama today aboard the liner President Cleveland. He told reporters he hoped to stimulate trade between Japan and Canada.

Mr. Mayhew, 73, formerly minister of fisheries, said he hoped to "assist in putting trade between Canada and Japan on a sound, durable and mutually profitable basis."

Talks were under way between the Japanese embassy in Ottawa and the Canadian government for "a trade agreement that will expand our commercial relations."

Mr. Mayhew added that Canada is waiting to welcome Prince Akihito when he arrives there on his way to the Coronation.

Sea food imports from Japan, which are giving concern to American Pacific Coast fishermen, did not disturb B.C. fishing authorities this year and are not expected to provide a problem for Ambassador Mayhew.

Figures showing that \$400,000 worth of fish was imported into this country from Japan in the past two years comprise only a small share of Canada's \$85,000,000-a-year market. Art Sager of the fisheries association of British Columbia said:

"Stikes in the salmon and herring fishing fleets forced production down to an all-time low on the west coast this fall. Coupled with loss of the United Kingdom market for canned salmon and other fish, authorities admitted

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Lieut.-Cmdr. Frederick Elliott, 74, a patient at DVA Hospital for several years, passed away Saturday afternoon.

He had been a resident of Vancouver Island for 18 years. He lived in Victoria from 1934 to 1939, and from 1939 to 1950 in Nanaimo.

He was born in Wantage, England. At 10 years of age he sat for portraits by Sir William Thompson which were used to illustrate novels by Dickens.

In 1892 he ran away from school and joined the navy.

He witnessed the first and second Boxer rebellions in China near the turn of the century, and saw the bombardment of Port Arthur during the Russo-Japanese War of 1904-05.

After returning to England, he was assigned as instructor in the

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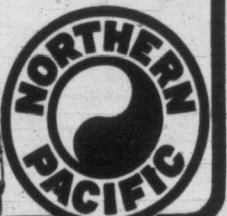
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The Load on the Hospitals

THE ADMINISTRATORS OF British Columbia's hospitals say they can hardly hope to operate on the budgets prescribed by the government. Hospital costs are up and hospital accommodation crowded. For this critical situation no real solution has been offered. If the government has a policy for salvaging the hospital insurance system it has yet to be announced.

But at least one outstanding weakness in that system could be cured without serious difficulty and, one would expect, without political controversy.

When the insurance system was devised it provided that any insured person could receive diagnosis if he entered hospital, but not otherwise. He might not require treatment at all, he might be adequately served without ever entering a hospital, he might be examined by X-ray and given laboratory tests and sent home again in a few hours. But he must pay for all this work out of his own pocket unless he was admitted to a hospital, at heavy cost.

As a result, thousands of those requiring only diagnosis sought admission to hospitals and filled their beds needlessly. Doctors tell us candidly that when a poor man comes to them in need of diagnosis they hesitate to send him to a private X-ray clinic where he must pay heavy costs beyond his means. Instead, they usually admit him to hospital—quite needlessly—so that he will receive diagnosis free, except for a small co-insurance charge.

It would be interesting to know, and the hospitals would be wise to reveal at once how many hospital beds throughout British Columbia are usually occupied by those who need no treatment but are admitted solely for examination. The cost of such patients must be gigantic. It is all loaded on the budgets of the hospitals.

There appears to be no reason why insured persons should not receive diagnosis without crowding the hospitals. They could be diagnosed within the hospitals and sent home again after a few hours or in private clinics, which could be paid for their services out of the insurance fund.

Why this arrangement was not adopted in the first place it is difficult to understand. Many leading doctors tell us that this was the primary mistake of the whole scheme. They think that a wholly unnecessary financial burden has been laid on the hospitals, that huge economies could be effected by a simple change in the law.

If there is any reason why an insured person who is not acutely ill but needs only a competent medical examination should have to raise the cost of hospitalization or otherwise pay his own expenses it should be explained to the public. Lacking such an explanation, the present system seems insanely wasteful. In this respect the government might find at least the beginning of an insurance policy.

Puffing on the Uphill Grade

BOTH DONALD GORDON AND W. A. Mather, presidents of the CNR and CPR respectively, have noted the increased costs which reduced net earnings for their railways during the 12 months just completed.

In both cases the year-end statements made by the leaders of the two great Canadian transportation systems have underscored the high level of industrial and business activity in the country last year—a condition producing more freight tonnage on their lines.

Details of their financial positions await, of course, publication of annual reports. It is nevertheless noteworthy that the two systems completed the year, a critical one, without work stoppages which could have crippled the entire national economy. Non-operating unions reached wage settlements with management without interrupting transit services vital to Canadians.

The unions showed excellent judgment and a clear appreciation of the country's economic condition in accepting, with minor modifications only, the award of a conciliation board which studied their wage requests. The actual award granted the men little more than a third of their original wage increase application, and

amounted to about two-thirds only of the figure recommended by labor's representative on the board in his minority report.

Both Mr. Gordon and Mr. Mather, in their statements, have left no doubt over the concern they feel regarding increased costs, not only in labor, but in materials. Unquestionably they have problems before them in 1953.

But a larger problem confronts Canadians, chiefly those of the west, on the issue of railway financing. It centres on the ability of the Board of Transport Commissioners to carry out the mandate of Parliament calling for equalization of freight rates.

No one questions the difficulty of that problem, but it is one demanding solution. Another increase has already been allowed to enable the railways to pay the latest wage increase. Like others before it, that increase has served to accentuate the injustice imposed on Western Canada where rates already are much higher than in the east. Parliament has shown its unwillingness to permit that discrimination to continue indefinitely. It remains for the transport board to figure out a way to remove the inequality.

We Can't Always Be Lucky

FIRE LOSS FIGURES IN Victoria last year have been estimated at roughly \$138,000, an amount approximately \$80,000 below that of the preceding year.

If any inferences can be drawn from the totals, they are that Victoria has a good fire department and that Victoria was lucky during 1952.

These points are worth noting in an analysis of the city's protection during the year just ended. For reasons of economy Victoria closed one fire hall. That action did not increase the efficiency of the department. At the same time, however, through a combination of fortunate circumstances, Victoria was able to escape with a smaller loss than it suffered when more men were available to fight fires.

The significant fact to remember, nevertheless, is that loss figures in themselves are no absolute index of a fire department's abilities.

With that in mind no time should be lost this year in proceeding toward closer organization of a Greater Victoria system. There are areas in this

city and in surrounding municipalities over which some apprehension may be felt. The co-ordinated plans arranged by the different municipalities for protection are good, as far as they go. They might be much better if the entire region's forces were integrated into one department.

Fire departments, apart from their educational and preventive work, are of value only in case of emergency. No one can foresee the extent of any emergency which may arise. The common sense provision to meet one would be to have the most efficient force available for immediate call—but under financing arrangements which would be borne equitably by the different members of the Greater Victoria community.

A procedure to establish a metropolitan force has already been discussed. No parochialism should interfere with its creation. For years the different departments have shown what some measure of co-ordination can do. That is a sample of the greater benefits that may be expected from a complete union.

Right Effect, Wrong Method

A NEW PATTERN WAS SET IN the United States during the second and third quarters of 1952 when that country's imports exceeded its exports from other lands by more than one billion dollars. This means that foreign nations were able to increase their reserves of U.S. currency—Britain, for instance, gained \$140,000,000 during the six months—and thereby help to stabilize their own economies.

Unfortunately, as the New York Times points out, the new trend was not achieved by an increase in America's imports from abroad but through drastic reductions in the purchases of other countries. From necessity the United States' customers bought less, in an effort to conserve dollars.

Thus, while the relative trade

balance between the United States and her allies assumed a more healthful tone, the net effect is that trade has decreased. The U.S. is poorer because it is selling less goods. The buying nations are poorer because they have fewer commodities and materials to provide for their wants.

Trade is to the mutual advantage of both parties. When it increases, the prosperity of the countries involved increases, when it becomes less, their prosperity likewise diminishes.

The answer to the world trade problem today is to achieve for a time a balance of trade "in favor" of the United States' allies, but through greater imports by the United States, not through a decrease in its sales abroad.

Chips

BY DAVID BROCK

I'VE BEEN re-reading what I said to you last time. Not from vanity, and not from apprehension either, but just from curiosity to see what sort of a thing a man would say on January 2. In other words, I'm being purely objective... which is a cold-blooded act indeed, but often obligatory. And I see I was talking about New Year's resolutions and about Thomas Carlyle (who obviously never made any, even for the pleasure of tramping them to death).

Well, I can tell you one thing about Carlyle, and several things about resolutions. What I can tell you about Carlyle, and about his wife Jane Welsh into the bargain (if bargain it was) is this: "It was very good of God to let Carlyle and Mrs. Carlyle marry one another and so make only two people miserable instead of four, besides being very amusing."

This was said in a letter from S. Butler to Miss Savage. I'd like to see all those letters. Not only what S. Butler said, but for what La Belle Sauvage said also. She was a good sayer. She said (for example) of a certain Self-Help Club that they were called the Self-Help Club because they helped themselves, and they were the only people whom they did help. God rest her.

Of resolutions, my dear souls, I can tell you two sorts. I can tell you yours, and I can tell you mine. Yours first, because they are the better sort, though less strictly kept. Some days ago you were very like Falstaff on his deathbed. Not only did you cry out of sack (meaning sherry, or your sherry wine, and meaning you were through with it, as in King Henry-V, Act II, Sc. III), and not only did you cry out of women, saying they were devil incarnate (same scene), but the reason for your vows was the same as his: the fuel was gone that maintained your fire (the very same scene again, a few lines later).

You also resolved to economize, a fantastic scheme of self-mortification that never occurred to Jack Falstaff on his deathbed or anywhere else, on account of his not being able to commit himself utterly. In his own way, he was more faithful than resolvers and resolutions. Yes, and he also had the supreme sense, and the crisis of lucidity, to howl, somewhere in Henry IV, "Banish fat Jack and banish all the world." Laugh that off. If you banish your own true character, for which we all love you in spite of everything, what sort of character are you going to adopt, as a kind of pose for which we'll loathe you in spite of everything? That is something to consider. As it says in the Mother Goose rhyme, "consider, old cow, consider."

And I think (though this only by hearsay) you swore, a day or two ago in this new year with its rough edges not rubbed off yet, that you would pay more attention to the finer things in life. You would read better books and gaze at finer pictures and interpret nobler symphonies, yes, you would. Yet surely if you knew which were the better books and the finer pictures and the nobler symphonies and all that, you'd have no need to concentrate on them so strenuously. On the other hand, if you didn't know, might you not be chasing after strange gods? I'm not scoring a point, I'm only asking for information.

So much for your vows, though there were more of them. Let us now tackle mine. Well, I swore I'd never listen again to people who want to enquire me. (They may be no such verb, but there should be.) Never eat what my hostess urges, when she claims my stomach is in her care for One Night Only, and the devil take tomorrow. Never write long, good, frequent letters to ex-friends who desol me of my time by writing me short, bad, infrequent ones while demanding about 1,000 per cent interest on their time investment.

Never listen to persons who want to over-insure their odd souls for their sense of values. Never listen to school teachers who claim that if they can stand a bad education, anybody else can too. Never marry an elocutionist, trained or self-taught. Never think that mere garlic covers a multitude of sins. Never trust an enthusiast, especially if he only wants to do good instead of learning what he's talking about. Never trust an enthusiast. Never trust.

Never believe a man who earns his living out of making fortunes for his clients, instead of for himself. Never think that a problem stated is a problem solved. Never be content with any square-dance that seems to express the ultimate You, for there must be something wrong with it or with you, and better blame it than blame yourself. Never make vows without reflecting it was Dr. Johnson who said "A vow is a horrible thing, it is a snare for sin."

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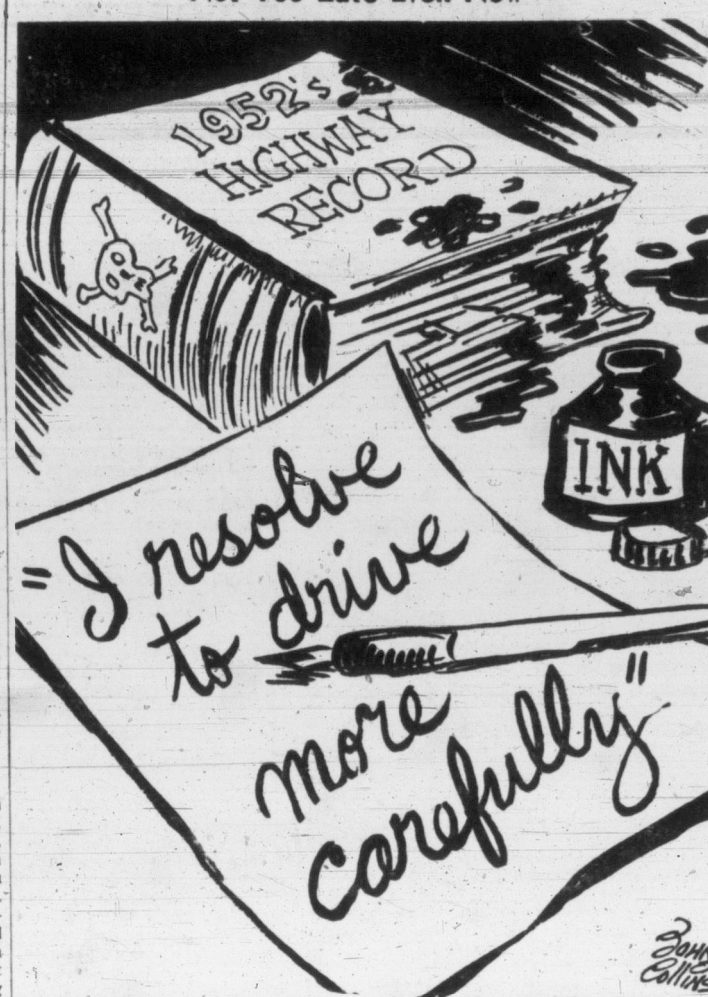
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MIDDLE MAN
Curiosity is not a comfortable thing to live with, since it constantly contradicts or calls in question our declared attitudes. Political, for instance. Somebody said that conservatives are busy describing things as they have ceased to be, while progressives try to shape them to what they can never be. This would be a pungent saying if it did not so obviously imply that the sensible man is the man in the middle: the liberal who knows what things are about and thinks he is suggesting only the most practical improvements. His is an attitude like the others and just as tiresome.

—Alastair Cooke in Vogue.

Not Too Late Even Now



As Our Readers See It

HATS OFF

I would like to take a little space in your paper to tell you about the good work done by the Salvation Army at all times.

I know two families that were really in need. I was really touched to see the food parcels that were given to them and also toys, including a lovely tricycle and coaster for two boys who had nothing to play with.

I say hats off to the Salvation Army for their good work, and God bless them all.

MRS. R. M.

TOO AMERICAN?

May I be permitted to make a suggestion through the medium of your valuable paper, viz.: I think it would be interesting reading if Bruce Hutchison would write an article entitled "Is Canada Becoming Americanized?"

Personally, I am afraid it is—everything points so. Years and years ago when I was in Toronto it seemed like being in a foreign country—I could not understand half the language and expressions. And the American language seems to be creeping into B.C., so we will eventually have to eliminate the "B".

WALTER W. JOSEPHS.

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GOD AND THE UN.

Mr. Avery's well-authenticated pronouncement that national submission to God's governance is unshakably sound, because it meets His conditions to intervene and save us from perdition. In the matter of immunity from war it is essentially a business of the utmost importance and urgency that our government empanel a royal commission to learn the truth of this.

O, sure, they will readily form costly commissions on most everything else as, for instance, the fall outbreak of the notorious Boyd gang; whether or not we shall establish cocktail lounges; in what circumstances we may or may not consume liquor; military defalcations; political side-steps of sorts, etc. But as to an inquiry of the Great Architect of the Universe...

verse and Governor thereof involving the sacrifice of life and national security, oh no, it just isn't done, you know.

Why not? The abortive back-biting (dis)United Nations Organization (see Walter Lippmann, Times, December 18) where every fear exists except the fear of God, whose name is never acknowledged or His counsel invoked in their deliberations, would veto it. We carry toleration to absurdity.

When will we wake up; go to the root of our troubles and seek a cure from the one and only power that can give it!

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AND NOTHING BUT HOLES IN HIS PURSE

A few days ago you had an article which concerned Canadian scenery. In particular, I would be glad if you would allow me to make a few comments.

The trouble of course with poetry is today, as it always has been, that it is almost impossible for a poet to make a living and the reason for this is that the public in general is not interested. Therefore there is practically no sale for it and nobody wants to publish it.

It is quite understandable also that newspapers should refuse to publish verse of any description because, if they did, they would certainly be deluged with any amount of performances—most of them entirely without merit.

For lighter, topical verse there is a limited market but it is not a large one and the case of the real poet and also that of the man or woman who can write good verse might perhaps be exemplified by the following—hitherto unpublished—limerick:

There was a young man who wrote verse
And he thought he might have done worse.
As he might have expected
It all got rejected
—He's just passed our house
In a hearse.

E. F. WATHERSTON.

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Is Canada Great?

I read a letter in The Victoria Daily Times a few days ago from Mrs. Adelaide Marshall. Is she really serious? Does she really believe that Canada is already "a great nation"?

There is no doubt that Canada, since the war, is rapidly coming to the front, thanks to the gambling spirit and business acumen of our friends to the south, who, at last, are developing our very considerable natural wealth. The United States only "discovered" Canada during the past war, and only then realized our potential wealth which, hitherto, we had done very little to develop.

Today, fortunately, thanks to the help of the U.S., these resources are now being competently developed and Canada is forging ahead, and would appear to have a very rosy future. Canada is a part of a very great Commonwealth

and some day, undoubtedly, in her own right, will be a great nation. Such patriotism as Mrs. Marshall displays is admirable, but she must not lose sight of the facts.

She probably comes from a small prairie village and has not seen much of the world. A visit to New York, London, Paris or Rome, might show her that Canada is still very backward by comparison. Canada will some day gain culture and greatness but I doubt if you or I, Mr. Editor, or even Mrs. Marshall, will ever see it.

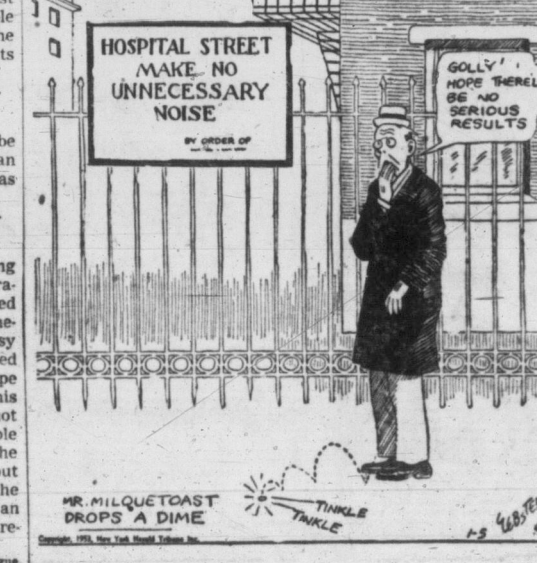
Canada's future greatness will depend upon the confidence and hard work of her people, and the far-sightedness and efficient leadership of her government; let us hope that some day she will have the latter!

G. I. MCINTYRE.

Sidney, V.I.

The Timid Soul

BY E. T. WEBSTER



Little Short Of Stupendous

BY JOSEPH AND STEWART ALSOP

From Washington

THIS is the official turning of the year. In practice, however, the new year will really begin, for America and for the Western World, when Dwight D. Eisenhower takes his Presidential oath.

That day, in his inaugural address, Eisenhower will summon Americans to a new unity. Soon thereafter, he will reveal the broad outline of his practical program in his message on the State of the Union, which will be his first down-to-earth statement of policy.



Joseph

The two speeches, which Eisenhower has already decided to differentiate in this manner, will symbolize together the two great goals he has set for himself. In an atmosphere grown fetid with political squalor and political ugliness, he hopes to bring about a renewal of faith. And in a time when American policy sometimes seems to swing aimlessly, like a broken shutter in the wind, he hopes to achieve re-invigoration by works.

One thing is clear, even now, about this great enterprise that Eisenhower is embarking on. It is going to make 1953 a wonderfully busy and probably argumentative year. The range of activity, the variety of the already foreseeable causes of debate, are little short of stupendous.

The State Department is to be reorganized again. While the policy-making machinery is in mid-upheaval, the Korean problem is to be boldly tackled—certain of Eisenhower's advisers are now discussing the use of atomic weapons against the enemy ground forces there, which should provoke a major inter-allied turmoil. Other great problems, like Indo-China, are also to be firmly attacked—and this can make trouble with the Congress.

The defense budget is to be recast—among the Eisenhower men there is much talk of cancelling the bulk of the giant carrier program and otherwise "bringing the Navy forces" level into line with national strategy, which should touch off still a third resounding controversy.

While the existing defense program is being turned upside down, it is also planned to grasp such huge netles as the great issues raised by the hydrogen bomb and the vast and urgent problem of American air defense.

A new relation between Congress and the White House must be hammered out—and it may be said on good authority that few Eisenhower men count on basing this relation on continued peaceful co-operation between Dwight D. Eisenhower and Robert A. Taft. Taxes, inflation, wage and price controls, farm policy, internal security policy—all these must be revised or re-defined. And while all this is going on, the outside world will still be pressing ever new proposals and demands upon Eisenhower.

Even before his inauguration, for instance, Winston Churchill will almost surely lay before him a new British plan for currency stabilization, which may involve drastic American tariff reductions, and certainly call for a massive American contribution to a broader monetary stabilization fund for the Western World.

It is only necessary to go down this extremely incomplete list to see two things. First of all, the great netles of people who hope the Eisenhower administration will prove a sort of political golden age, are due for a sad disappointment. So many complex questions cannot be ventilated, so many vital decisions cannot be reached, without a good deal of friction. The concord that prevails today cannot prevail much longer, for very obvious practical reasons.

Second, however, the very fact that Eisenhower and his co-workers plan such an aggressive attack on so many fronts at once is in itself vastly encouraging. American government has too long been languid and palsied. The biggest trouble, at home and abroad, has been the loss of vigor and self-confidence.

It's the Berets!

The Times (London)

THE RAF's decision to abandon from Jan. 1, 1953, a form of headgear defined by the dictionary as "a round flat cap worn by the Basque peasantry" must have aroused a faint stirring of hope throughout the Army.

It is difficult, now, to recall what trend, or quirk of military thought led to the adoption of the beret as part of every soldier's uniform. Before the Second World War the beret, though it had spread from Northern Spain to other parts of the Continent, was not regarded by the British as altogether comme il faut; it was worn for the most part by people who were, or who wished it to be supposed that they were, connected with the arts. It had, of course, and still has, a number of functional advantages.

If the steel helmet has to be donned at short notice, the beret can be disposed of "on the man" with the minimum of inconvenience; the headphones of a wireless transmitter can be superimposed on it; and as the Royal Tank Regiment has long recognized—it is the best thing to wear inside a tank.

But these are rather specialized cases. Even in war, the proportion of the Army which at any given moment is wearing steel helmets, using wireless sets, or rumbling about in armored fighting vehicles is very small; and it is questionable whether the advantages accruing to this minority offset the disadvantages suffered by the rest of their comrades-in-arms, who have to use the beret as a hat.

It is wholly and wisely eschewed (except in the case of air crews) by the Royal Navy; and few would be disappointed if the Army followed the RAF's example by severing what would seem to be a rather fortuitous sartorial link with the Iberian peninsula.

From Our Files

Jan. 5, 1893—"Uncle Tom's Cabin," as put on by the Sutton Company, will be seen at the Victoria Theatre tomorrow evening.

Jan. 5, 1913—An interesting consignment for B.C. preserves has arrived in the Ss. Montague. There are three cages containing Chinese pheasants and quail. These handsome birds are among the most desired objects in every aviary.

Jan. 5, 1933—For his 25th year in office, Magistrate George Jay was yesterday evening appointed chairman of the Victoria School Board. He has completed 31 years as a member of the board.

NEW FINANCIAL ADVISER NAMED

Gordon Hunter Will Scrutinize Spending In Canada's Defense Production Department

OTTAWA (CP) — Gordon W. Hunter, 38-year-old Winnipeg-born accountant, today was appointed financial adviser to scrutinize spending in the defense production department.

In his hands will be financial policy-making affecting hundreds of millions of dollars worth of defense contracts likely to be awarded by the department in 1953.

His appointment dovetails with a new line of thought in the department: It is time the government stopped pouring millions of dollars as investments into new defense plants and encouraged

private investment to undertake the risk with greater depreciation allowances for income tax purposes.

Production Minister Howe announced the new appointment, elevating Mr. Hunter, a wartime munitions official, from deputy financial adviser to succeed O. A. Matthews, a Kingston, Toronto, and Montreal accountant, recently was named to the board of transport commissioners, his appointment becoming effective Jan. 1.

As financial adviser, Mr. Hunter will be delving into the question of profit incentive. Reginald Brophy, deputy production minister, observed last year that some arms production appeared to be lagging because some firms were paying more attention to civilian production where the profits were higher.

Profits allowed under a defense contract sometimes run between five and 10 per cent. It appears likely Mr. Hunter may recommend a slight boost if the firm shows it can trim costs and make production exceptionally efficient.

U.S. Pilot Bags First Mig of Year

SEOUL (AP) — A United States Sabre jet pilot bagged the first Communist MIG-15 jet of the year today in a battle 35,000 feet above northwest Korea. The ground war was stalled by the bitter Korean winter.

The Fifth Air Force reported the Red jet was shot down by Lieut. William R. Bowman of Sarasota, Fla., his first kill. Bowman was in a flight of Sabres flying a protective screen for fighter-bombers striking through snow flurries at Communist supply targets.

Pilots reported destroying at least 70 Communist vehicles. Several sharp clashes along the front in below-freezing cold were reported Sunday night and early today before the skies clouded.

New B.C. Companies Incorporations Top Previous Mark

A new record for company incorporations and registrations of extra-provincial companies was set up in 1952 by British Columbia.

It has been reported 1,492 such incorporations and registrations were made during the year compared to 1,484 in 1951. Of the 1,492 total, 1,333 were company incorporations in B.C. and 159 were registrations of companies from outside the province.

1 Killed, 15 Injured in Tehran Riot

TEHRAN, Iran (AP) — Supporters of the Tudeh Communist party clashed with extreme rightists in Parliament Square today. One man was fatally stabbed and 15 others wounded. Police and soldiers restored order after 45 minutes of battling.

The trouble started when Tudeh members came to the square as usual Monday morning to sell their weekly publication, Democrat Youth. Youthful members of the Pan-Iran and Sumka parties charged the Tudeh vendors. About 300 persons were involved in the fighting.

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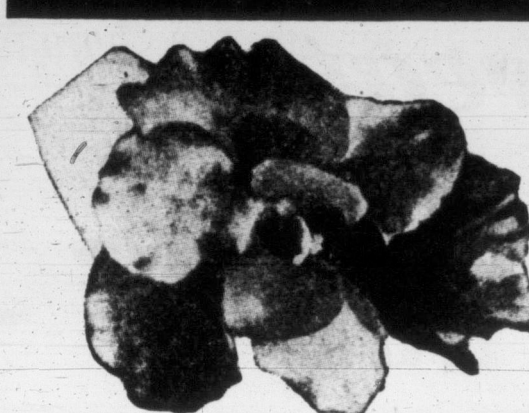
Eniwetok H-Bomb Blast May Have Been Second, Says Writer

CHICAGO (AP) — The Bulletin a follow-up experiment in which among its board of sponsors J. Robert Oppenheimer, chairman; Harold C. Urey, vice-chairman; Albert Einstein, E. U. Condon, Linus Pauling and A. H. Compton. Rabinowitch said: "It seems... that there is little doubt that in principle, at least, the technical feasibility of thermonuclear bombs now has been demonstrated... To what extremes of destruction..."

tiveness thermonuclear weapons atom bombs—we do not know. It will yet rise—whether they be a problem of technical feasibility or a problem of political and strategic advantages, more powerful than the fission if any, weighed against costs."

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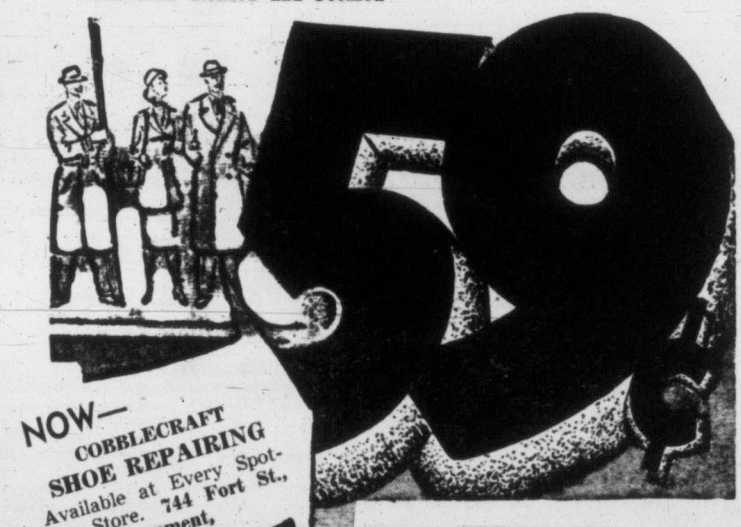
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\$65,000,000 is being spent by Ford of Canada to create new manufacturing facilities and to improve existing ones. Half is being invested in our Windsor operations to provide the largest and most up-to-date automotive engine plant in Canada—the most advanced foundry—a \$7,000,000 addition to the power house—and a machine shop that will rank second to none in modern tools and precision equipment. In Trafalgar township, near Oakville, Ontario, a giant plant—now nearing completion—will start the actual assembly of cars and trucks by early summer.

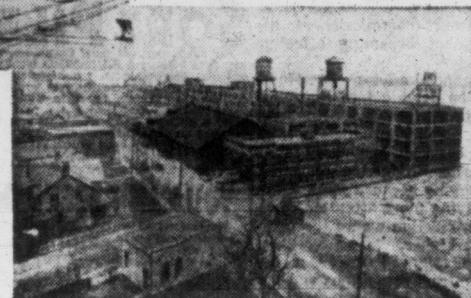
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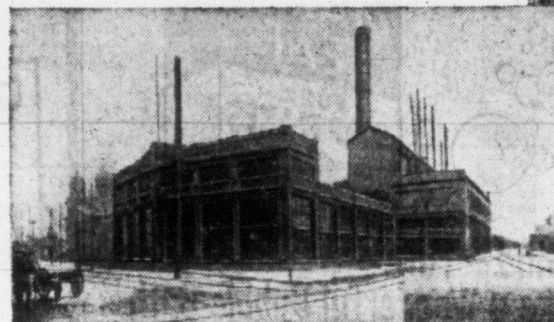
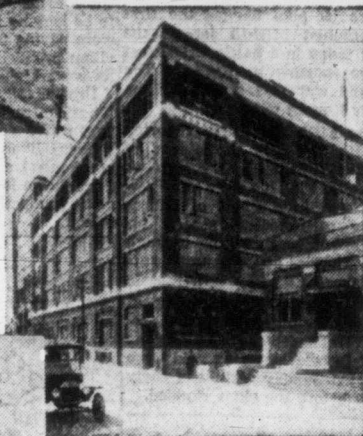


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Ford of Canada was born in a Walkerville, Ont., wagon works.

1910-12
New four-storey factory and office building created.

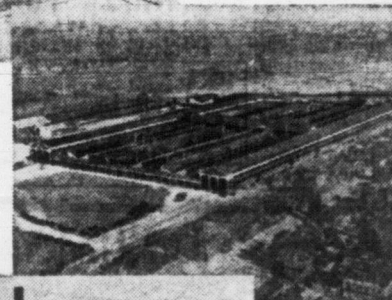


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New six-storey plant added.

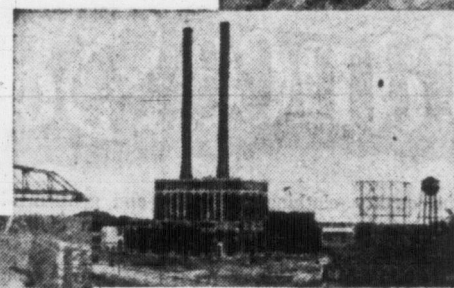


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The original power house.

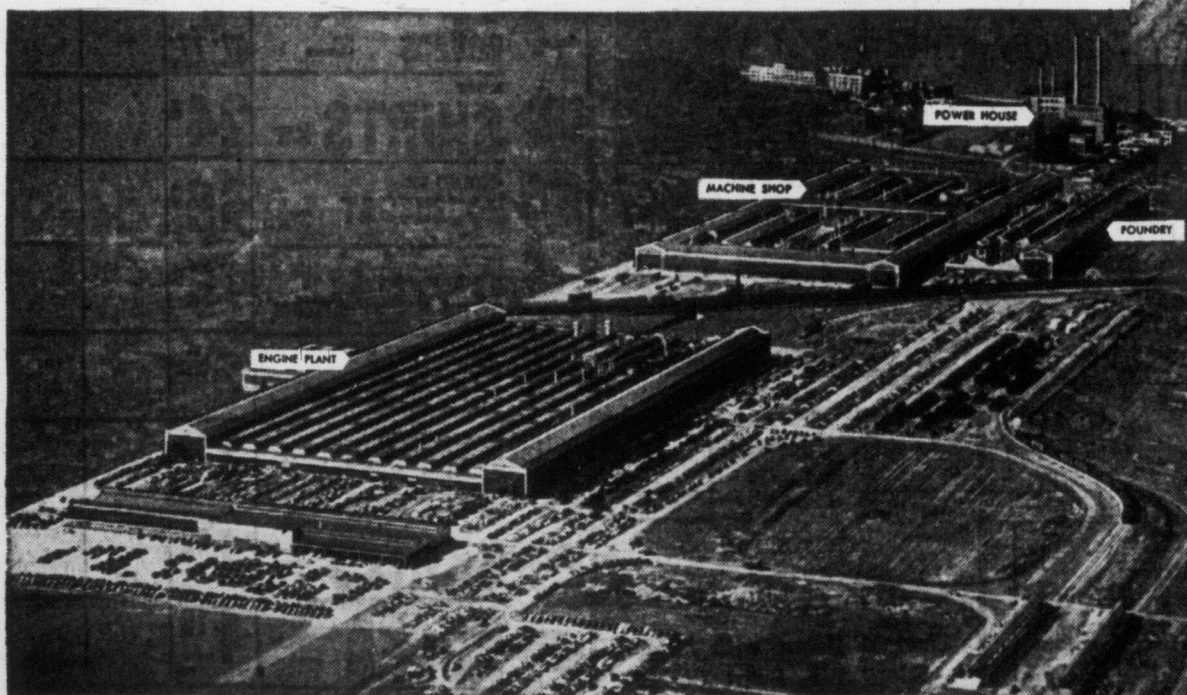
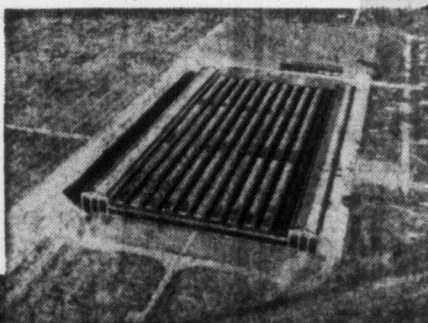
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Plant 2 was built.



1923
New Power House erected.

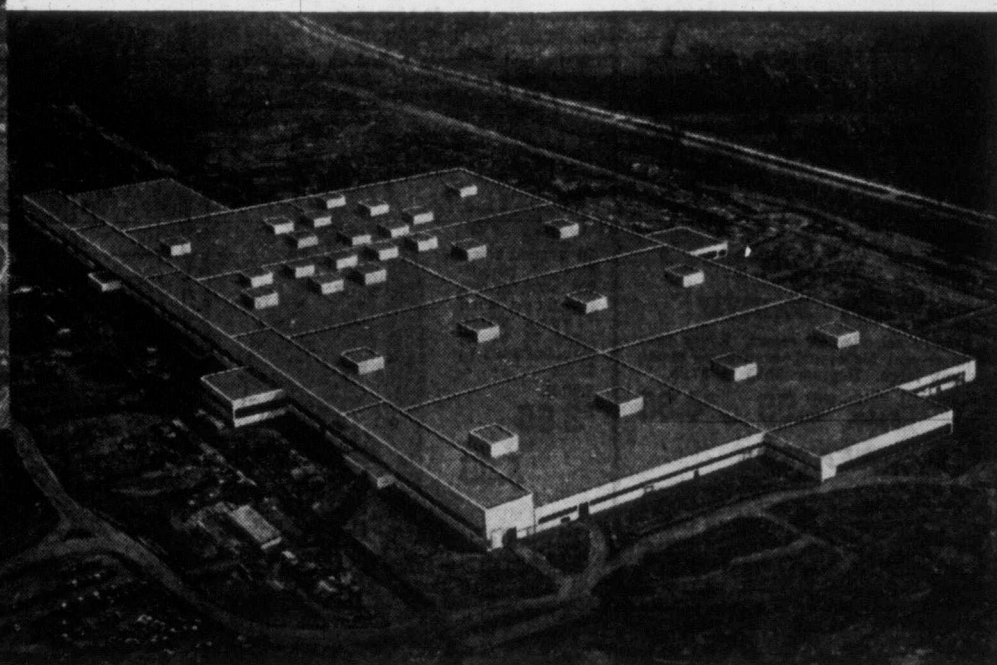


1937
Present Windsor Plant 4 constructed.



1953—A GREATER FORD-WINDSOR

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WEATHER SYNOPSIS

VICTORIA'S SUNSHINE RECORD TO DATE, 1953— 4.9 HOURS

SYNOPSIS: An outbreak of Arctic air swept southward over Alberta and northern B.C. during the night accompanied by rapidly falling temperatures, and this morning the thermometer at Prince George registered 32 degrees lower than Sunday morning. The mass of cold air will move steadily southward over B.C. and by Tuesday morning will cover most sections of the interior.

DOMINION PUBLIC WEATHER OFFICE 9 A.M. FORECASTS

VICTORIA: Cloudy Tuesday. Not much change in temperature. Light winds tonight and high Tuesday, 38 and 46.

WEST COAST: Cloudy Tuesday. Not much change in temperature. Light winds tonight and high Tuesday at Bowen Point, 38 and 47.

VANCOUVER AND GEORGIA STRAIT: Cloudy Tuesday. A little colder tonight. Light winds. Low tonight and high Sunday at Vancouver airport, 33 and 44; Nanaimo, 36 and 44.

TEMPERATURES

Min. Max. Precip.

Toronto 30 28

Winnipeg 17 19

Regina 15 21 .81

Alberta Has New Welfare Minister

EDMONTON (CP)—Leonard Christian Halmrast, 53-year-old southern Alberta rancher, has been named minister of public welfare in Premier Manning's cabinet.

His appointment restores the cabinet to its pre-election strength of 11 ministers and gives southwestern Alberta a representative in the cabinet; to replace the former mines minister, N. E. Tanner, now in the oil business.

To make the appointment, Premier Manning split the double portfolio of Dr. W. W. Cross, who had held the welfare job for nine years in addition to the health department he has headed ever since the Social Credit Party came to power in 1935.

Church Leader Raps Prostitution In London

LONDON (Reuters)—Dr. W. C. Sangster, a leader of the Methodist Church in Britain, says 10,000 prostitutes are operating in London, "including a strong contingent from France."

He called Saturday for a revival of religion to end "this foul traffic, an offense to God and a deep stain on the life of the nation."

Sangster said it had been estimated London's prostitutes had 250,000 clients every week, though this figure might be an exaggeration.

They regard the periodical fine of £2 for soliciting as "nothing but incidental expenses." Some had been fined 150 times.

Press reports recently said large numbers of French prostitutes are drifting into London to cash in on tourists expected for the Coronation.

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'CAR'S BROKE, I'M BROKE AND IT'S SNOWING'

Wandering Son Phones Mother

SAN JOSE, Calif. (AP)—A 15-year-old boy who "borrowed" the family car two days before Christmas has been located on the Alaska Highway near Whitehorse in the Yukon his family said Sunday.

Anthony Guarascio, a San Jose meat dealer, flew to Edmonton

to bring back his son, John, who drove off in the family car Dec. 23 after collecting his Christmas presents and drawing \$200 from his savings account.

Saturday night came a collect telephone call from the boy.

"The car is broke, I'm broke and it's snowing," he told his mother.

Guarascio left immediately by plane to find his son. But because the telephone call was routed through Edmonton, he thought the boy was there. On his arrival there Sunday night, he telephoned back that the boy really was at Watson Lake, near Whitehorse, on the road to Alaska.

Victoria Daily Times
MONDAY, JAN. 5, 1953

12 Freight Cars Jump Track, No One Injured

SIoux LOOKOUT, Ont. (CP)—The Canadian National Railways main line through northwestern Ontario was blocked Sunday when 12 cars of a freight train were derailed at Taggart, 27 miles west of here.

No one was injured and there was no report of damage.

Eisenhower Gives Support To George VI Memorial Fund

NEW YORK (AP)—President-elect Eisenhower has messaged his support of the King George VI Memorial Fund which seeks \$500,000 for advanced technical training in the U.S. of young people from Commonwealth countries.

The general's statement was made public Sunday by Lewis W. Douglas, former ambassador

to Great Britain. In his statement, Eisenhower said: "I hope that many of our people, as well as business organizations and philanthropic foundations, will be persuaded to contribute to the fund... This will be another stone in the strong arch of freedom on which the hopes of the world are now supported."

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Victoria Merchants will have one eye on the league standings and the other on the ever present injury jinx tonight when they take on Army in a Commercial Hockey League fixture at Memorial Arena.

Just one point behind league-pacing Army, Merchants can take over the top spot by disposing of the consistent soldiers tonight.

However, Merchants will be without the services of two key players, Ken Gunter and Rudy Pisco. Gunter, injured three weeks ago, will probably miss the entire season with a shoulder separation. Pisco received a badly sprained shoulder last week and will be out for some time.

Individual Cleaners meet Navy in the curtain raiser at 7.30.

CIVIL SERVICE WIN

Wests Stretch Unbeaten Mark

Victoria West 4, Canadian Scottish 2
Civil Service 5, Esquimalt 0

The Victoria and District Football Association season grows longer but, at the same times, so does the winning streak of Victoria West.

Sunday at Central Park, Wests extended their undefeated skien to nine games, four victories and five ties, as they defeated the witless Canadian Scottish squad 4-2 in a mud bath.

The game was originally scheduled for Heywood Avenue and was switched when the original pitch was found to be unplayable. Central Park was not much better and the players experienced great difficulty keeping their footing on the greasy turf.

Wests were forced to snap a 22 deadlock with the improving Scots in the second half and then rapped in two late goals to take the decision, preserve their less streak and climb into a first place tie with Adanacs, each club having 13 points. Wests have played one more game than Adanacs.

SERVANTS WIN EASILY

On Saturday, Civil Service moved closer to the leaders with a well merited 5-0 trouncing of a short-handed Esquimalt crew at lower Beacon Hill Park.

Ralph Thorne gave Wests a 1-0 first half lead with a solo goal early in the half and there was no further scoring before the intermission.

Whitney Turner made it 2-0 at 25 minutes of the second half but Rookie Wright, playing at centre forward for Scottish rather than at his customary centre half spot, banged in two quick goals to square the count at 2-2.

The score remained even until the closing five minutes when West outside left Ed Williams slammed a shot goalward and the wet ball skidded off defender Don Wilkinson into his own goal to break the tie. Turner fired in his second goal minutes later and the game ended as a 4-2 West victory with Scots pressing right up to the whistle.

SHORTHANDED

On Saturday, Esquimalt took the field with only nine men, added a 10th shortly before kick-off but were forced to play the entire game one man short.

Servants took a 2-0 lead in the

Combines Show Power In Blanking Clubmen

Victoria Combines started off second-half play in the Lower Island Junior and Juvenile Football Association's junior division Sunday with a smashing 7-0 blanking over the usually potent Tillamooks.

Jack Burley and Ken Barnes

Plante Proves Big Help to Buffalo Bisons

Last-place Buffalo rarely has anyone to shout about, but the ambitious Bisons sang the praises today of their new goalie, peppy Jacques Plante, who gives every indication of developing into the top netminder in the American Hockey League.

Plante, acquired last week from the Montreal Royals of Quebec's Senior League, beat league-leading Cleveland, 2-1 Saturday night in his first game with the Bisons and turned in a brilliant 1-0 shutout against third place Pittsburgh Sunday night.

Plante shared the hero's role with teammate Calum McKay who rapped home his own rebound for the game's only score at 2:34 of the overtime period. Playing the first Sunday afternoon game in Providence in 15 years, Providence, led by Zello Toppazzini's two goals, defeated Syracuse, 6-3.

Fred Glover's third period goal gave St. Louis a 4-3 victory over Hershey and kept the Bears in a first-place tie with the idle Barons.

Rangers Trim Bruins; Hawks Lose

The real race in the National Hockey League is about ready to start.

Every year as the league schedule rounds the halfway mark, the scramble for profitable playoff berths begins.

This season, as has happened so often during the last few years, Detroit Red Wings are solidly holding down first place and practically assured of a spot in the post-season play.

But the middle rankings are close—in fact today there are two ties, Montreal Canadiens and Chicago Black Hawks for second and Toronto Maple Leafs and Boston Bruins for fourth place.

New York Rangers are far in the cellar. The top four teams play off in two series and the winners meet in the finals for the Stanley Cup.

SIX-POINT LEAD

Detroit extended its lead to six points Sunday night by defeating Chicago 5-3, while New York won its sixth game of the season 5-2 over Boston. Saturday night Boston blanked Montreal 1-0 and Toronto and Chicago played to a 1-1 tie.

Detroit had to come from behind twice. Both times it was George Gae who put Chicago ahead. Tony Leswick, Metro Prystai, John Wilson, Gordie Howe and Marty Pavelich scored for Detroit. Doc Couture scored for Chicago's third tally late in the game in which four penalties were called.

New York's victory on home ice was its first since Christmas night. Nick Mickoski, Neil Strain, Wally Hergesheimer, Don Raleigh and Ed Kullman shared the scoring honors for the Blue Shirts. Mickoski and Hergesheimer scored while the Bruins were short-handed. Leo Labine and Fleming Mackell tallied for Boston.

LONE GOAL

At Montreal Saturday night Bill Quackenbush's marker at 1:31 of the first period was the only scoring of the game.

No games are scheduled for tonight.

Cowichan Rink Captures First Duncan 'Spiel'

Stan McKellar's Lake Cowichan rink topped the Sunday bonspiel at the Duncan Curling rink. His foursome defeated the veteran Nanaimo rink skipped by Bill Karjala, 11-7.

The Harold Brooks rink, skipped by Don Woodley, beat the Harvey Hodge rink, 11-8, in the consolation round. The two Victoria rinks, skipped by Max Zabel and G. Lauder, won their first round games but lost out in the winners' draw.

There will be another bonspiel next Sunday with prizes for four rinks.

Draw and results follow:

Tonight's draw:
1. Cook-F. G. Inter vs. Eugene Koster vs. Vern Harford.
2. Fred Cummings vs. Maurice Dargatz vs. Kenner, Glen Hargreaves vs. Dr. W. D. McCuller.
3. Cook-George Simpson vs. Ross Marshall, J. G. Jickling vs. L. Edson, Ole Panzer vs. W. L. Taylor, Frank McDermott vs. Larry Marshall, Don Woodley vs. Jack McBride.

Bonspiel draw, first round results: Karjala, Nanaimo, beat Ron Harper; Ivan Nanaimo, beat Larry Marshall; L. Edson beat Bob Vance; B. Hodge beat D. Nanaimo; Max Zabel, Victoria, beat Tom Brewer; Stan McKellar, Lake Cowichan, beat Harvey Hodge; G. Lauder, Victoria, beat Pete Press.

Winners' draw results: Karjala beat Dohy; McKellar beat Zabel; Hodge beat Edson; McKellar beat Lauder; Karjala beat McKellar; McKellar beat Hodge; McKellar beat Zabel; McKellar beat Hodge.

Saturday's results: A. Fowler beat Tony Pulk (10th end); Ken Berkey beat Tom Brewer; Glen Hargreaves vs. Mrs. Melba Schappert 5; Ron Harper & J. Hodge 5; Don Woodley 12; Doug Hargreaves vs. Cliff Wall 9; Pete Press & Harold Hodge 16; Mike Reuther 13; Harold Hodge 10; Tony LaMontagne 3.

In the first division, Army, Navy and Air Force Vets continued their winning ways by downing Sidney Teen Town, 5-2.

HAT TRICK

Doug Jones paced the winners with a hat-trick with Garry Crowe and Harry Nicolson each adding a singleton. Bill Norburn and Dave Gray tallied for Sidney.

A 14-0 shutout marked the other first division game with Eagles on the fat end and Harris Coyles taking the goose egg.

Art Jones notched five goals, Gordon Sillars four, Ron Hurley and Fred Curtis two each and Jack Harding one.

Eagles and Delta Electric battled to a 2-2 draw in second division play with Bud Walker and Phil Willis scoring for the clubmen and Ed Scrimmet and Gerry Gladstone for Delta Electric.

In Saturday games, Eagles upset Combine Pee Wees 2-1 while Eagles downed Black and White Tack, 1-0, in the fourth division. Eagles and Shepherd's Daily battle to a 1-1 tie in one fifth division contest. Heaney's shut out St. Louis College, 1-0 in the other fifth division fixture.

SPORTS MENU

TONIGHT
BASKETBALL—Victoria High School; 7, midget boys, St. Louis College vs. Tillamook; 8, junior men, Dickinson & Dunn vs. Victoria College; 9, senior 8 men, Arrow Furniture vs. Butler Bros.
COMMERCIAL HOCKEY—Memorial Arena, 7.30, Individual Cleaners vs. Navy, 8, Army vs. Merchants.

In the News



RON BREMNER

Hitting his scoring pace after an early-season slump, Ron Bremner is providing Victoria Merchants with a potent forward threat. With league-leading scorer Toby Brown and Norm LaCree, Bremner is on the top forward line in the Commercial Hockey League. Fully recovered from a rib injury, Bremner will be on the wing tonight when Merchants take on first-place Army at Memorial Arena in the feature game. Individual Cleaners meet Navy at 7.30.



COLIN KILBURN

Moving up in the Western Hockey League scoring race, Colin Kilburn has proved himself a valuable acquisition to the Cougars. Since his pre-season acquisition from Edmonton Flyers, with 15 goals and 21 assists, Kilburn has 36 scoring points and is just one point behind Cougar coach Eddie Dorochoy for the lead in team scoring.



TED KENNEDY

Bowing out for the remainder of the National Hockey League season, Ted Kennedy will see no more action with Toronto Maple Leafs this year. Recently injured in a collision with Boston Bruins' Milt Schmidt, the Leaf captain suffered a complete separation of the shoulder. Following an operation Sunday night it was announced Kennedy was through for the complete season.

Eilers Bow To Alberni

Alberni's senior A men's basketball team loomed again as a definite threat for provincial honors Saturday night when they trounced the powerful Vancouver Eilers, 75-60, in an exhibition game at Alberni.

Trailing 14-31 at the end of the first quarter, Alberni hit for 25 points in the second quarter to make a 38-29 lead at the half.

Eilers rallied to knot the count at 48-48 entering the final period, but again Alberni broke loose for a big point spurge, outscoring the visitors 27-12.

Scoring was evenly divided for the winners. Bill Bell of Eilers was high point man with 20 points.

Line-ups follow:
Eilers—Murphy 11, Bell 20, Rea 3, Wetherston 2, Hudson 5, Southcott 11, Forsythe 2, Watt 6, Total 60.
Alberni—Kermode 13, Brown 14, Buchanan 7, Hill 8, Grobolski 12, Benarini 11, Mitchell, Waugh 10, Durant 2, Total 75.

CITY CAGERS RESUME PLAY

City basketball league play resumes at the Victoria High School tonight, with three games scheduled.

Arrow Furniture and Butler's Aces will meet in the feature Senior B men's contest at 9, with St. Louis College and Tillamook midget boys clashing at 7 and Dickinson and Dunn meeting Victoria College in a junior boys' game at 8.

LANDY HOPES TO BE FIRST

Miracle Mile Near

BY GAYLE TALBOT
MELBOURNE, Australia (AP)—John Landy, who ran a 4:02.8 mile last Saturday, looks like anything but the typical conception of an Australian, most of whom are pictured as being florid and raw-boned.

John is olive-complexioned and his delicate features might serve as the popular idea of a divinity student.

But this boy can run. On coach Percy Cerrutti's order Landy has averaged 100 minutes of exhaustive work-outs daily since returning from the Olympics in Helsinki.

Pockets, Royals Split; Flyers Vacate Basement

Flu Bug Halts MacKenzie's Successful Coaching Debut

Tacoma 8, 0; New Westminster 3, 7
Edmonton 4, Saskatoon 1
Calgary 4, Seattle 2

The flu bug flattened the promising though temporary coaching career of a Western Hockey League front office man during the week-end.

New Westminster Royals responded with a 7-0 win over the visiting Tacoma Rockets Saturday night when Royals' co-owner, Kenny MacKenzie, held the coaching whip in the absence of Coach Babe Pratt.

MacKenzie, elated and perhaps thinking of hiring himself, planned to continue his new career the next day when Royals traveled to Tacoma. But he became sick with influenza just after reaching the arena and Royals, under a substitute's substitute, were massacred 8-3 by the revenge-seeking Rockets.

MacKenzie was subbing for Pratt, who is on a talent-scouting mission in British Columbia's interior. Team captain Ken Ulyot took over the coaching reins Sunday.

Other week-end games gave the standings a mild shaking. Edmonton Flyers pulled themselves out of the basement tie with Victoria Cougars with a 4-1 win over the league-leading Saskatoon Quakers and Calgary Stampedeers trimmed Seattle Bombers 4-2 to move back into a second-place tie with Vancouver Canucks.

Calgary and Vancouver are a game behind Quakers. Bombers, who visit Edmonton tonight, are two points behind the runner-up Canucks and Stampede. Next come the Rockets, followed by New Westminster, Edmonton and Victoria, in that order.

Royals' first-game win gave goalie Lucien Dechene his fourth shutout of the season, tying him for the league lead with Emilie Francis of Vancouver.

Winger Don Slater scored twice for Royals, also getting an assist, and singles went to Max McNab, Jim Bedford, Blinky Boyce, Gord Fashaway and Ulyot.

SIX STRAIGHT GOALS

Sunday night Rockets scored six straight goals, four in the first period, to coast to victory. Captain Winger Johnston was the only player to bag two goals, singles going to Len Halderson, Mark McKers, Doug Adam, Ted O'Connor, Barton Bradley and Gordie Kerr.

Dorochoy, Fashaway and Jack Hamilton scored for Royals. Jim Ulnac scored twice to pace Flyers as they moved two points out of the cellar. Earl Reibel and Bill Folk scored one each while Vic Stasiuk picked up three assists. Jack Evans, a defenseman, scored the only Saskatoon goal.

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ROYALS COMING
Victoria Cougars host New Westminster at Memorial Arena Tuesday night.

A Gleam Wins
ARCADIA, Calif. (AP)—A Gleam, Calumet Farms' flashy filly, scored a hard-earned victory Saturday in the \$25,000 Malibu Sequet Stakes before 55,000 at Santa Anita, winning the seven-furlong dash in a photo finish over Stranglehold and Big Noise.

A Gleam paid \$2.80 straight and raced the seven furlongs in 1:22.45. She earned \$15,800 for Calumet Farm.

Reibel New Threat for Western Scoring Crown

Two Edmonton Flyers made considerable gains in the Western Hockey League individual scoring race Saturday.

Earl Reibel moved into a tie with Saskatoon's George Senick for second place by picking up one goal and one assist as Edmonton downed Saskatoon, 4-1, while Vic Stasiuk picked up three assists to move into a fifth-place tie.

Reibel's record shows 18 goals and 24 assists for 42 points while Stasiuk has 18 goals and 20 assists for 38.

Gordie Kerr of Tacoma remained in the running as he notched one goal and one assist Sunday as Rockets dumped New Westminster, 8-3.

This brings Ken into a third-place tie with George Agar of Calgary. Kerr has 12 goals and 29 assists for 41 points.

Kalera, Saskatoon — 13 37 50
Reibel, Edmonton — 18 24 42
Senick, Saskatoon — 17 25 42
Kerr, Tacoma — 12 29 41
Agar, Calgary — 13 29 41
Stasiuk, Edmonton — 18 24 42
Pilon, Seattle — 18 24 42
Reibel, Victoria — 18 24 42
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Kennedy Definitely 'Out' for NHL Season

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TORONTO (BUP)—Doctors who spent 2½ hours operating on the separated shoulder of captain Ted (Teeder) Kennedy confirmed today that he would play no more hockey this season for the Maple Leafs.

Club officials were considering signing sensational rookie Eric Nesterenko to help fill the gap torn in the Leafs' roster by injuries to Kennedy and three other regulars.

Kennedy was "out" even if the Leafs make the playoffs.

He was injured New Year's night in Boston when he was wrestled to the ice by captain Milt Schmidt of the Bruins during a fight.

JENNINGS NOT APPROACHED

Grid Rumors Fly for Eks

EDMONTON (CP)—Edmonton Eskimos' manager Al Anderson says there's no truth in the rumor that Bill Jennings, 36-year-old former Oklahoma University and Chicago Bears end and currently coach of Sooners' freshman team, is headed north to mastermind the Western Canada football champions.

Edmonton's coaching position for 1953 became vacant when Frank Filchok, after leading Eskimos to the Grey Cup final for the first time in 30 years, was ousted in a contract dispute.

Since then the rumor league has had it that several outstanding football men were in line for the job. The reports about Jennings have hinted that the Eks want to follow the playing style of Oklahoma Sooners, with emphasis on the spit-T formation.

But manager Anderson says of the report: "The club hasn't approached Jennings and furthermore, Jennings hasn't approached the club."

There has even been a rumor that head coach Bud Wilkinson of Sooners would figure in the Eskimo set-up, coming here temporarily to fit the club to his style of football and then turning the reins over to Jennings.

These reports note Eskimos had three former Oklahoma—quarterback Claude Arnold and ends Frank Anderson and John Gough—in camp last year. They all had worked well under Wilkinson's spit-T formation.

Another rumor has it that Eskimos hope to sign 20-year-old halfback Billy Vessels, who started with Sooners the last few seasons.

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Houbregs Again Paces Huskies

EUGENE, Ore. (AP)—Washington breezed to its second straight Cou Conference North Division victory over Oregon Saturday night 76-60.

Centre Bob Houbregs of Washington, who ran up 33 points in a close victory Friday night, contained himself with 19 Saturday night, playing little more than half the game. He made 17 of them in the first half. The 6.7 Houbregs connected on six of eight field goal shots, and thereafter did little shooting.

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HOOVER NON-COMMITTAL ON PROPOSED IBC OFFER

NEW YORK (UP)—J. Edgar Hoover, head of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, would issue no comment one way or the other today when informed that he is being "seriously considered" as executive director of the International Boxing Club at a salary reported to be \$100,000 a year.

Harry Markson, managing director of the IBC, admitted that promoter Jim Norris had considered asking Hoover whether he would care for the job.

Under terms of the proposed contract, according to Hoover's friends, Hoover would be paid \$1,000,000 over a 10-year period, but when questioned in Washington, D.C., as to whether he planned to accept Norris' offer, the FBI chief had no comment.

DiMag Eligible For Hall of Fame

NEW YORK (UP)—Bill Terry and Al (foot-in-the-bucket) Simmons, each of whom got one foot inside baseball's Hall of Fame last year, appeared destined today for formal admittance in the current election while "newcomer" Joe DiMaggio was given an "outside chance."

Terry, former Giant first baseman and manager, and Simmons, whose slugging accomplishments made him a standout with the Athletics, barely missed being elected in the 1952 balloting.

Harry Heilmann, late Detroit outfielder, and Paul Waner, one-time Pittsburgh outfielder, were named to the hall of fame in last year's election. Terry and Simmons just "missing the boat," or whatever conveyance is used to transport the diamond immortals to the red-brick shrine at Cooperstown, N.Y.

DiMaggio, former centerfield star for the Yankees, becomes eligible for election for the first time this year since the rules stipulate a player must be out of the game as a competitor at least one season before he may be voted into the hall.

Should DiMaggio be named, although the odds are against it, his election to the hall of fame would be the second quickest in history.

GEHRIG HOLDS HONOR

Lou Gehrig, the late Yankee first baseman who retired May 2, 1939, after playing in 2,130 consecutive games, was elected in that winter's balloting. No player before or after Gehrig has ever been ushered into the shrine so quickly.

Among the players who followed Terry and Simmons in the 1952 voting were Dizzy Dean, the outstanding fast-ball ace of the St. Louis Cardinals; Bill Dickey, ex-Yankee catcher and now a coach with the same club; Rabbit Maranville, brilliant Braves' shortstop; Dazzy Vance, Brooklyn fireball ace; consistent Ted Lyons of the White Sox and catcher Gabby Hartnett, hard-hitting ex-Cub star.

Senior members of the Baseball Writers Association of America are voting currently and the results of the voting will be announced within the next few weeks.

QUALIFICATIONS

In order to be elected, a player's name must appear on 75 per cent of the ballots. Each writer is entitled to vote for as many as 10 candidates. Usually, only one or two players poll enough votes to be elected and on some occasions, none do.

Candidates are chosen on the basis of playing ability, integrity, sportsmanship, their contribution to the team on which they played, and to baseball in general.

Aussie Tennis Stars Nettle

Sedgman, McGregor Irked Over Stand Taken by Australian Net Officials

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Frank Sedgman blasts his way into the professional tennis picture Tuesday night when he faces Jack Kramer in the opener of a five-month tour.

Sedgman and his Australian Davis Cup team partner, Ken McGregor, arrived by plane Sunday and paused long enough for some barbed replies to critics in Australia.

Under the pro pact the Aussies get a \$100,000 guarantee, with 75 per cent going to Frank and 25 to McGregor. They'll also get a percentage if gate receipts warrant, and a chance to play for purses in pro tournaments.

Asked if he expects to beat Kramer, his opponent on the tour, Sedgman replied: "I hope to do well against him. I've seen him play, but never played against him."

McGregor will face Pancho Segura in singles and the Aussies will battle the Americans in doubles. About 10 playing dates are planned.

Meanwhile a pair of high-ranking tennis fathers have made it clear they don't approve of the decision to turn professional and won't give their countrymen any help.

HOPED FOR HELP

"We'd hoped they would help us," Sedgman said. "I don't think it is very nice when we helped them there over the last three years. I think it's a bit tough on us."

Frank was nettled over a statement by Sir Norman Brookes, president of the Lawn Tennis Association of Australia, that "amateur associations here would not like a sponsored professional tour." He said it was a matter for the state associations whether they would allow professionals to use their home grounds. Bryan Fuller, president of the New South Wales Lawn Tennis Association, said in Sydney it would be unthinkable for his association to sponsor a visit by the Kramer tour.

AMATEURS HOLD TRUMP

In the United States this wouldn't mean much. But in Australia, the amateur tennis associations own the stadiums where the pros have played and hope to play again.

The Australians refused to announce they were turning pro until after a visit with Brookes last week.

"He was a bit disappointed, but wished us the best of luck," Sedgman recalled.

Brookes said in Melbourne

Melbourne Stadium to Seat More Than 90,000

MELBOURNE (AP)—This city is starting to build an Olympic stadium to rival any in the world.

Prime mover is Arthur Coles, who has a reputation for getting things done.

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Hockey Scores

SUNDAY
NATIONAL LEAGUE
New York 3, Boston 2.
Detroit 1, Chicago 3.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Buffalo 1, Pittsburgh 6.
Providence 6, Syracuse 2.
St. Louis 4, Hershey 3.

WESTERN LEAGUE
Tacoma 8, New Westminster 3.
Quebec 2, Spokane 4.

QUEBEC SENIOR
Valleyfield 6, Montreal 3.
Chicoutimi 5, Sherbrooke 2.

ONTARIO-QUEBEC JUNIOR
Toronto St. Mike's 3, Montreal Royals 2.
Quebec 1, Three Rivers 2.

WESTERN INTERNATIONAL
Nelson 2, Spokane 4.
Saskatoon 1, Regina 2.

SASKATCHEWAN JUNIOR
Saskatoon 1, Regina 2.
Saskatoon 1, Regina 2.

WESTERN SENIOR
Saskatoon 1, Regina 2.
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INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
Port Wayne 2, Troy 6.

SATURDAY
OHA JUNIOR "A"
Guelph 3, Oshawa 1.

OHA SENIOR "A"
St. Catharines 7, Galt 8.

OHA SENIOR "A"
St. Catharines 7, Galt 8.

APACHE
Tucson 9, Pictou 7 (overtime).

QUEBEC-ONTARIO JUNIOR
Mariboro 2, Windsor 2.

INHL
Toledo 4, Cincinnati 3.

WJHL
Edmonton 6, Lethbridge 4.

MJHL
St. Boniface 3, Winnipeg Monarchs 5.

SSHL
Moscow 2, Yorkton 3.

KJHL
Saskatoon 6, Regina 2 (overtime).

THUNDER BAY JUNIOR
Thunder Bay 2, Port Arthur 2.

NORTHERN SASKATCHEWAN
Saskatoon 1, Regina 2.

OKANAGAN SENIOR
Vernon 2, Kelowna 6.

WESTERN INTERNATIONAL SENIOR
Nelson 1, Spokane 5.

STANDINGS
WESTERN JUNIOR

Edmonton 16 6 1 131 68 33
Regina 15 7 2 111 60 32

Calgary 11 12 3 134 128 25
Lethbridge 10 8 4 127 109 24

Lehigh Valley 10 12 1 110 125 21
Moscow 9 16 0 116 144 20

Crows Nest 3 18 1 184 189 11
SASKATCHEWAN JUNIOR

Humboldt 17 13 1 138 104 38
Saskatoon 15 9 2 104 109 32

Saskatoon 15 16 0 128 138 29
Prince Albert 18 19 1 131 137 21

MANITOBA JUNIOR
St. Boniface 16 7 1 124 74 33

Brandon 15 8 1 165 82 31
W. Monarchs 19 14 0 75 105 20

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Mangrum Nears Third L.A. Victory

LOS ANGELES (UP)—Lloyd Mangrum appeared a cinch to capture his third victory in the \$20,000 Los Angeles Open golf tournament today as he teed off in final round play with a commanding five-stroke lead.

Sixty-six linksmen were in the last round of the 72-hole event at Riviera Country Club.

Mangrum, the lean, veteran from Niles, Ill., had a 54-hole total of 210. He carded a two-under par 69 Sunday, his second of the tournament, and only a major reversal of form could stop the one-time National Open champion from nailing down first place money of \$2,750.

WORKMAN DIES

KANSAS CITY (AP)—Charles Thomas Workman, 37, former outfielder for Boston Braves and Pittsburgh Pirates, died here Saturday night.

Galleries estimated at more than 10,000 watched under ideal weather conditions as Mangrum's long tournament experience paid off and early pace setters wilted.

Jay Hebert, of Erie, Pa., blew wide open with a seven-over-par 78 after leading the field at the halfway mark with 140 total, a stroke in front of Mangrum; Al Mengeri, of Spokane, Wash., and Art Wall of Pacono Manor, Pa.

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Little Wonder Southeastern Grid Teams Vie for Post-Season Bowls

NEW YORK (AP)—Like hominy grits and gravy, they love football bowls down in Dixie, and who can blame 'em?

Southeastern Conference teams brought home more than half a million dollars—\$72,500, according to first bookkeeping reports—from four of the top New Year's Day games. Of this, 25 per cent, or \$143,125, was kicked back to the conference.

The Southeastern, which has been the major provider of the bowls for years, hit a peak even for itself this year by putting five of its members into major games—two of them, Georgia Tech and Mississippi, into the rich Sugar Bowl at New Orleans.

Tennessee played in the Cotton Bowl at Dallas, Alabama in the Orange Bowl at Miami and Florida in the Gator Bowl at Jacksonville.

Tech and Mississippi each received \$140,000 from the Sugar Bowl, which pulled in approximately \$365,000 in ticket sales and perhaps another \$100,000 or more from the television and radio proceeds.

Of this, one-fourth went to the conference under a league rule, leaving the two teams \$105,000 apiece. They had to pay their own expenses.

Tennessee brought back the same amount from the Cotton Bowl, gave the conference its cut

of \$35,000 and kept the rest, Texas, although 16-0 winner, received only \$32,000. The Longhorns were permitted to keep three-tenths of their share, plus \$10,000 expenses, with one-tenth going to the Southwest Conference office and the rest to be divided among conference members.

The game grossed around \$320,000, after 15 per cent for stadium rental, and picked up \$90,000 from TV and radio receipts.

The take-home pay of Alabama, 61-6 victor over Syracuse in the Orange Bowl, was \$102,500, but the Tide had to shell out \$25,625 to the conference. Syracuse also received \$102,500 with no strings attached.

The game grossed approximately \$360,000, plus \$62,500 from TV and radio.

The fifth Southeastern Conference team, Florida, collected \$50,000 for beating Tulsa, 14-13, in the Gator Bowl, and kept \$37,500 after giving the conference its bite. Tulsa received \$44,000 of the estimated \$165,000 gross, which was increased with \$3,500 in radio monies.

The Rose Bowl continues to be the richest of the post-season classics but not the best deal financially for the participants. This year the gate receipts at

Pasadena amounted to around \$400,000 with TV and radio receipts adding \$500,000.

The Pacific Coast Conference and Big Ten each collect around \$360,000, but distribute the money so widely that it takes an auditor to keep track.

For instance, out of the PCC share, Southern California, winner over Wisconsin, 7-0, will get only \$65,000. The other \$295,000 is distributed among conference members.

The Big Ten carves its take into 11 chunks, giving Wisconsin as the representative team two shares, and the other nine members one share each. That makes Wisconsin's share alone around \$65,000.

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Poland Abolishes Food Rationing

LONDON (BUP).—Poland has abolished her food rationing, introduced new increased food prices and raised workers' wages. The Warsaw radio broadcast a government decree raising food prices an average of 52 per cent. Wages will be raised on a progressive scale, the radio said, from 12 per cent for highest paid workers to 40 per cent for the lowest paid.

Two Victoria College Leaders Top 90 Mark

George H. Forbes and Ann Coleman took top honors in the Christmas examinations at Victoria College. Forbes led second-year students with an average of 91.3 per cent and Miss Coleman topped first-year students with an average of 91.5 per cent. Satisfaction with results was expressed by faculty members. They noted that a large group of students attained first and second-class standings. Other class leaders were: Second year: Lyle P. Robertson, 90.3 per cent; Geoffrey R. Conway, 87.3 per cent; Kenneth S. Baker, 85 per cent; Elisabeth A. Creery, 81.9 per cent; John E. Maunsell, 81.2 per cent. First year: Maureen G. Twa, 89.5 per cent; Patricia A. Burnett, 88.3 per cent; Margaret E. Little, 87.5 per cent; Sheila M. Carstens, 87.1 per cent; Sonia C. Stuart, 82.9 per cent; George E. Price, 82.4 per cent; Janet E. Bowden, 82.3 per cent; Francis P. Russell, 81.6 per cent; Dorothy N. Sullivan, 81.2 per cent; Sally A. B. Pollard, 81.1 per cent; Arthur R. Hanslip, 80.5 per cent; Lyle Ferguson, 80.4 per cent.

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ISLAND DIGEST

CUMBERLAND—City council will ask William Moore, MLA, to support its representations to Victoria asking that motor vehicle licenses be issued from its city hall. Closest office of the motor vehicle branch is in Courtenay.

LANGFORD—A well baby and child health conference will be held Thursday from 2 to 4 p.m. at St. Mathew's Hall.

SIDNEY—First assessment notices for the Village of Sidney have been mailed, with figures based on a survey by B.C. assessors in 1952.

They showed a total land value in the village of \$202,760, with improvements valued at \$983,105. On the basis of a 10-mill tax, the income from direct taxation will be \$9,401 for 1953.

SIDNEY—Opening service of the new Seventh Day Adventist Church will be held Saturday at 10.45 a.m., but the dedication ceremony will be delayed until permanent seating facilities have been installed. Foundations for the new building were poured on Labor Day, 1951.

Simple Funeral Rites Mark Burial Of Danish Queen

COPENHAGEN (AP)—The body of Queen Mother Alexandra was placed in a crypt at Roskilde castle, the ancient burial place of Danish kings and queens, after simple funeral rites Sunday in Copenhagen.

Three reigning kings, two queens, eight princes and six princesses were in the funeral procession through snow-covered streets before the mourning throngs. The coffin was draped only in Denmark's flag. There were no flowers.

Alexandrine, whose husband, King Christian, reigned from 1912 to 1947, died last Sunday following a major operation. She was 73.

Christmas Kettles Gave Hundreds Joy

The Salvation Army's Christmas kettle campaign provided hampers for 200 families, sunshine bags for 900 persons in hospital and homes for the aged, and 100 Christmas dinners for needy men.

The food hampers were distributed before Christmas to needy homes in the Greater Victoria area. The sunshine bags, containing fruit, candy and biscuits, were distributed by Army volunteers to patients at the DVA and Naden hospitals, and to those in nursing homes and homes for the aged. Inmates at the Wilkinson Road Mental Hospital were also remembered.

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DIRTY SOCKS

Parish Rapped For 'Junk' Yule Gifts

LONDON (Reuters)—A minister dangled a pair of dirty socks from the pulpit of St. Paul's Cathedral Sunday and scolded people who had turned in "junk" as Christmas presents for the poor.

"Who would want an elderly person to receive this pair of socks?" Canon L. J. Collins, chancellor of St. Paul's, asked the congregation. "They were handed in and so worn and darned that they would hardly bear another stitch."

He held up a dilapidated, almost empty box of children's paints and said: "I could show you hundreds of other things like that handed in by people who thought that any old junk would do because it was for poor children and poor old people who cannot afford to buy the nice things of this world."

Father Bereaved by Fire Arrives Home From Korea

OTTAWA (CP)—Pte. Robert Glandon came home from Korea Sunday to a sad greeting from his wife and only surviving child, Richard, nine. His other four children died Dec. 26 in a fire which destroyed their home while they slept.

Mrs. Glandon, pale and drawn, met her husband at the airport. They then drove to her parents' home where she has been recovering from a collapse which followed the deaths of her children.

Funeral service for the four Glandon children likely will be held today. The service was postponed for arrival of the father whose flight from Korea was interrupted several times by bad weather.

The four children, ranging in age from four to 10, were alone in the Glandon home at Deschênes, Que., five miles northwest of Ottawa, when fire broke out. The building burned rapidly and rescue attempts were impossible. The oldest boy, Richard, was spending the night with a neighbor.

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BETWEEN TIMES

By MONTE ROBERTS

Everybody back to sub-normal today?

My Favorite Wife, ever eager in her search for knowledge, discovered this item in Saturday's paper:

"WASHINGTON (UP) — Swiss cheese lovers will get more cheese and less holes from now on, according to the agriculture department."

"The department issued new standards Friday calling for a reduction in the size of the 'eye' in Grade A Swiss cheese from three-quarters of an inch in diameter to half an inch."

My Favorite Wife commented, "This is indeed good news for all lovers of Swiss cheese. What I wish to know, however, is exactly what technological changes will have to be made to affect this adjustment?"

I couldn't quite figure out what was worrying her, and said so.

"The little man who puts holes in cheese," she said. "What will happen to him? Will he have to replace the cost of replacing his three-quarter-inch hole-borer with a half-inch hole-borer. If so, will he be able to write off the cost of re-tooling against his income tax? If not, shouldn't he be able to get a government subsidy to help him through the re-adjustment period?"

I told her that wasn't the way holes got themselves into Swiss cheese.

"You mean, there is no little man with a hole-borer?" she asked.

I said, that was what I meant.

My Favorite Wife thought that over for a minute. "Then how is Swiss cheese holed?" she asked. "Do they make the holes first, then build the cheese around the holes? If so, how are the holes held in position while the cheese is built?"

I told her that no doubt the manufacturers of Swiss cheese had special hole-holders, to hold the holes in place while the cheese is built around them.

"I think you are fooling me," My Favorite Wife said. "I do not see how a half-inch hole-holder would operate."

I said it would operate exactly the same way the old-fashioned three-quarter-inch hole-holder operated.

"I think we had better forget the hole thing," My Favorite Wife said.

Let's, shall we?

From the Coming Events section of the classified pages:

"Scott and Old-Time Dancing, Saturday . . . admission 60 cents. Coffee Available."

At this time of year, most people will welcome the coffee. They are off the "Scott and . . ."

Informative item in the magazine section:

"Dogs are color blind, and, to them, all colors look like different degrees of black, white, and grey."

The dog Punch says that, with the kind of shirts and ties the Old Man wears, this is just as well.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES

Mayor Claude Harrison will be guest speaker at Thursday's Rotary Club meeting at the Empress Hotel. His topic will be "City Affairs."

For driving a car without adequate brakes and while not being the holder of a current year's driver's license, Victor R. Waring, 1712 Denman, was fined \$40 in city police court today.

Vivian Shoemaker, YMCA general secretary, will speak on the "Challenge for 1953" at a meeting of the Young Adults Club Wednesday at 8 p.m. Meeting will be held in the "Y" building. New members will be accepted.

A fine of \$200 was imposed against Vernon H. Evans, 3042 Donald, when he pleaded guilty in city police court today to a charge of impaired driving.

Police told the court Evans was involved in a head-on collision with another car at Cook and Caledonia at 10:35 p.m. on Dec. 26.

Greater Victoria's school population of more than 12,500 returned to classrooms today after the Christmas holiday.

"The weather couldn't have been better for school re-opening," commented J. F. K. English, senior municipal inspector of schools.

Two juvenile boys were taken into custody by city police Sunday night in connection with the finding of a cache of stolen property.

The boys are believed responsible for burglaries at summer cottages at Qualicum Beach last month.

Mayor Claude Harrison will present William Spedding, 2626 Avebury, with a Royal Canadian Humane Association honorary testimonial, at the inaugural meeting of the 1953 City Council tonight at 8.

The award is for Mr. Spedding's "heroic action and presence of mind in the rescue of Douglas de Wolfe from drowning in Elk Lake, August 16, 1952. Mr. Spedding featured in another rescue January 29, 1951.

Jack Knowland, for the last 6½ years manager of the airport at Prince George, has taken over management of Patricia Bay airport, near Sidney.

A coat left on a hot-air furnace pipe caught fire and caused about \$300 damage to the walls and ceiling in the basement of the home of J. R. Nixon at 1314 Yates at 7:55 Sunday night, city firemen reported.

Parkdale Scout Troup, Scoutmaster Jack Corless, played hosts at a father and son banquet recently. Akela of the Parkdale Cub packs, Jean Shemitt and Pat Wansbrough, Field Commissioner King and Canon R. Willis of St. Mark's Parish were guests. Games and singing completed a merry evening. Scout mothers and friends prepared and served the banquet.

Skies will be clear tonight, and Tuesday will be cloudy with sunny periods, the weatherman said today.

Cool air from the continent is dominating the weather scene, he said, instead of the warm Pacific flow that gave the city a taste of spring on Saturday.

Sheltered areas away from the prevailing north wind will run the risk of frost overnight. Elsewhere temperatures will range between 38 and 46 degrees.

January meeting of the Victoria Begonia Society has been canceled, it was announced by society directors today. Next meeting will be held Wednesday, Feb. 4.

Officials of Royal Portage Parks Ltd. the company planning to bring horse racing back to Victoria, said today they will cooperate with dog fanciers who are trying to start dog racing here.

A meeting between the two groups is expected soon.

"We'll play ball with the dog racing interests," said A. M. Spittal, a director of Royal Portage. "We'd planned to have dog racing as a part of our big Saanich project. I think we could make arrangements for these people to operate it."

Walter J. Pym, a former director of the Canadian Kennel Club, said he is confident a suitable arrangement can be negotiated. Mr. Pym is the driving force behind the move to start dog racing here.

Mr. Pym added, however, everything depends on whether or not the Criminal Code is amended to allow dog racing in Canada. At present, commercial dog racing is prohibited. The amendment is not expected to be approved until 1954.

"In the meantime, we plan on doing the preliminary work and laying plans," said Mr. Pym.

He said the racing will be conducted by an organization to be known as the Vancouver Island Greyhound and Whippet Breeders' Association.

The association will not be incorporated for several months, he said.

Mr. Pym, and other enthusiasts, plan to test the reaction of other dog fanciers on the Island. Dogs would be imported from the United States and England where the sport is popular. Racing dogs cost anywhere from \$200 to \$2,500. Between 300 and 400 dogs are required for successful operation of a track.

Construction of a dog racing track could cost \$500,000.

The meeting between Royal Portage officials and the dog racing interests probably will discuss financial arrangements at the outset.

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He came to Victoria in 1939 and is a veteran of five and one-half years in the Royal Canadian Artillery.

Mr. Ash, who was defeated in the last provincial election by CCFer Frank Snowball, was elected to the Legislature in a 1948 by-election and re-elected in the general election in 1949.

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Rare Flowers Color Gizeh Party

Pretty Mary Busby acted as model when Shriner Ted Porter inspected the fragrant Hawaiian "leis" imported for the installation party of Victoria Gizeh Temple at Club Sirocco tonight. There's a boxload of orchids on the way too. The flowers are for the lady guests of the Temple, where the theme is exotically tropical. (Times Photo.)



ARTHUR ASH



JAMES GEORGE

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OCEAN SHIPS BOOST PORT TRADE RATE

Dock Schedules Top Last Year's

Deepsea shipping activity in Victoria is off to a flying start for 1953, with indications that the first 10 days will see nearly twice as many ships work at Ogden Point than in the same period last year.

Ships of three nations are at the Point today, and eight more are expected by week's end. Up to Jan. 10, 1952, six ships had worked here.

At Ogden Point today are Ss. Sunray, Saguenay Terminals, Montreal, Sarmiento, Pacific Steam Navigation Co., Liverpool, and Mukahi Maru, Daido Line, Kobe.

FIRST CALL HERE

The 7,000-ton Sunray, in the Canadian inter-coastal service, is making her first call at Victoria, although she made a previous coast-to-coast trip with Vancouver as the terminus. Her master, Capt. F. C. Smith, reports she left the east coast with a full cargo, some of which was discharged at Jamaica and Panama.

The ship will leave about 200 tons of general cargo here, including machinery for HMC Dockyard, and a heavy truck for an up-Island logging operation. She is the former Grafton Park.

LOADING SCRAP IRON

Mukahi Maru, one of the big post-war Japanese freighters, is loading 425 short tons of scrap iron and a quantity of fir piling for Japan.

Sarmiento is lifting lumber and ties for the U.K.

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Skylight Raiders Seize Cafe Cash

Douglas St. Coffee Bar Loses \$112; Government Lunchroom Stock Looted

A rash of housebreakings and petty thefts continued over the week-end.

Police, who blame juveniles, possibly led by adults, for many of the entries, list difficult skylight raids in latest records of crime here.

Richest target of the week-end was Rocky's Coffee Bar at 2016 Douglas, where "skylight burglars" netted \$122 in cash from the register and took \$10 worth of cigarettes. They removed glass from the skylight to gain entry.

Hungry thieves invaded the Cosmopolitan Lunch, 1308 Government, by breaking a window in the rear alley. They stole a ham, a roast of beef and another of pork, some cartons of cigarettes and chewing gum. Detectives Norman Bath and Louis Cailan said the alley could only be reached by going over rooftops in the area.

Thieves jacked-up a 1938 model car on Bernie Nichols' car lot at 945 Yates and made off with one of the front wheels, police said. Jimmy marks on the office door indicated an unsuccessful attempt had been made to enter.

MILK MONEY GONE
H. Lineham, 1150 Richardson, reported to police that a \$10 cheque was stolen from one of the milk bottles he put out for the milkman late Sunday night. Cheque was made out to Island Farms.

Wilson Motors, Yates and Quadra, reported to police that two hub caps were stolen from a Buick. They are worth \$15 each.

ENTRY FOILED
A pane of glass was removed from the skylight on the roof of the premises of Pacific Glass, but officials of the firm reported nothing was disturbed and nothing missing. Detectives said an unsuccessful attempt had been made to enter.

Proprietor "Rocky" Maysmith inspects skylight from which burglars removed glass and made \$112 haul from his coffee shop on Douglas Street over the week-end.

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JUBILANCE AT JUBILEE

Good Blood for Bad Saves Life of Baby

Into the records of Jubilee Hospital last week went another report of a baby saved for a life that should be normal and healthy. Through an operation no longer unique the child was relieved of the Rh-negative factor in her blood.

Carpet Shopping Tour Reveals 1953 Trends!

By PENNY SAVER

Let's go carpet shopping! Not being in the market for a new rug myself, I have never done this before, but I realize there are many homemakers who are wondering what the trend is for 1953, so here we go.

The look of the new carpets and rugs for 1953 is predominantly an informal one, in harmony with current trend to the colorful and the casual in both home furnishings and architecture.

This means there are many tweedy and random texture weaves, stippled and spatterdash effects, stripes, checks and rugged weaves. The homemaker will find lots of novel weaves when she goes carpet shopping. Many of these have been developed through the magic of man-made fibres that will turn up so often in floor coverings in 1953. But the texture weaves that lead in popularity this year are those that blend in with everything, from modern to traditional.

The new patterned rugs and carpets—and there are many of them—have been re-designed to a reduced scale in order to fit them into the average modern room. This means that they no longer dominate the room decor.

Carpets and rugs suitable for children's rooms and bedrooms are numerous. They are in cotton (woven on standard carpet backs), wool, blends; all man-made fibres and nylon.

Color has broken with the traditionally solid virtues of the "background" carpeting; taupe, grey or medium green. Now color is smart and vibrant. There are many sharp off-colors and some that are really bold. The put colors include everything from black walnut to an off-white Brazil nut meat tone.

Cocoa, mocha, fur and coffee are still important carpet colors. Greys may be anything from a pale oyster to a deep charcoal.

The traditional florals have gone contemporary, too, with clear colors such as olive, avocado, gold and terra cotta.

Sometimes there's a cool stone blue or a lovely "blue linen" blue. There's also the drama of turquoise and aqua, both gaining steadily in popularity.

There! I think that covers our shopping tour of carpets and rugs. Hope you enjoyed it!

AS WE LIVE

It's Husband's Job Not Wife's, to Earn

By ELIZABETH B. HURLOCK, PhD

A wife and mother of young children has her hands full and her days crowded to the limit. Trying to take on extra work is likely to be too much. That is why this young wife should make some other arrangements:

(Q) "I am 26 years old, have been married five years, and have two small children. My husband works only three or four days a week. I keep asking him to try to get another position or a part-time one to make two ends meet. Instead of looking for himself, he and his family try to find some work which I can do at home. The days my husband doesn't work, he likes to go fishing or golfing with his brother-in-law. I think it is up to the husband to earn a living for his family, not his wife's duty. Am I wrong?"

(A) You are absolutely right. It is your husband's responsibility to earn enough to give you and his children a decent home, proper food and clothing, and necessary medical care to insure good health. Most husbands like to give their families a few luxuries in addition to the bare necessities of life.

If your husband were ill or if he worked hard every day and still could not earn enough, there would be some reason for you to try to help out by doing work at home. But, as things are now, it is simply ridiculous for you to consider working so he can fish or play golf.

Tell your husband and his family that you will take a part or full-time job away from home if your husband will stay at home, do the housework, take care of the children, and have dinner ready for you when you return from work. Otherwise, don't take on any more work than you now have. If you are giving your children and the home proper care, you are doing your share and that is all you should be willing to do.

As for money, arrange to open charge accounts at stores where you can get proper food for the family and adequate clothing for your children and yourself. When the bills begin to come in, your husband will be forced to realize that it is up to him to get more work or face lawsuits from the stores. A man as lazy as he needs a jolt to make him realize that he can't be a playboy all his life.

If you have a personal problem, write Elizabeth Hurlock in care of this newspaper.

Quick Pick-Me-Up!



by Alice Brooks

Going places? Shrug the shoulder-warmer over strapless top, all your separates! Most useful fashion—it's the least complicated to crochet!

Flower medallion border with small shell stitch. Pattern 7260. Easy to crochet in cotton or wool. Send 25 cents in coins for this pattern (stamps cannot be accepted) to The Times, Household Arts Dept., 60 Front St. W., Toronto 1-A, Ont. Print plainly name, address, pattern number.

FLIN FLON, Manitoba (BUP)—Flin Flon's first poliomyelitis death was reported during the week end.

Six-month-old Jo-Anne Cockle died from the disease on Friday. She was admitted to hospital on New Year's Day.

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TODAY'S RECIPE

YOUR SPECIAL TREAT

Home economists suggest "stuffed cucumbers" as a distinctive luncheon touch.

Ingredients: Six cucumbers (about six inches long); two cups sausage meat (one pound); two-thirds cup finely chopped celery leaves; one-third cup chopped onion; 1 1/2 teaspoons salt; one teaspoon sage; two cups soft bread crumbs.

Cut cucumbers in half lengthwise, remove seeds and soft portion with a spoon. Cook cucumbers in boiling salted water for 10 minutes. Drain well. Brown sausage meat in hot-frying pan. Add seasonings and crumbs and mix well together. Pile stuffing in cucumber shells.

Place in a greased baking-dish and bake in a hot oven (400 degrees Fahrenheit) for 35 minutes or until cucumbers are tender. Yield: Six servings. These are "delicious" when served with baked or scalloped potatoes.

Calavo avocados are in the markets now and there are lots of them. You can buy them either "firm," or "soft" that are ready to eat. It takes firm fruit from two to four days to ripen and be sure to keep them at room temperature. Store the soft fruit in the warmest part of the refrigerator until you are ready to use them.

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WHY GROW OLD?

By JOSEPHINE LOWMAN

You're back again! I am glad to see you! Every year there are thousands of repeats in my Eight-Week Self-Improvement Marathon. Many women join each year, lose from 10 to 15 pounds, and then during the year gain the weight back gradually. Many of them "hold the line" until fall, and then accumulate pounds during the gay holiday season during which they eat so much rich food.

Then there are some who send each year for marathon and plan to follow it, but who are sidetracked because of unexpected illness or those sudden complicated situations which seem to spring up like mushrooms. Perhaps you yourself fell heir to a virus infection last year, or the children had a long series of colds, with chicken pox and measles thrown in, or the in-laws came to visit or your husband broke his leg, the maid left, or some other circumstance made you procrastinate about beginning your self-improvement program.

Many readers plan on marathon just as they plan to have periodic permanent waves and manicures. If this is your first experience, I warn you, it is habit forming.

So—it is here again and I am here to help you with your problems. The idea of marathon is that you are assured that you can accomplish certain definite things in eight weeks' time under my guidance, and in the company of thousands of women.

Marathon is fun that way, because you are certainly not alone in your efforts in self-improvement. Last year around 130,000 women joined marathon.

All over the country women were rolling and stretching and dieting and lubricating their skins and massaging their scalps and thinking of good posture and feeling younger. I know from the number of women who took time to write me result letters, how successful their efforts were.

Let me give you an exercise to begin limbering you up until your marathon booklet reaches you. This one is good for the tummy and waistline and it will get the

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Miss H. V. Foster and Miss E. Forester of Cobble Hill, V.I., left by plane on Sunday for Honolulu. They will be guests at the Edgewater Hotel, Waikiki Beach, during January.

Sunday Afternoon Reception

Alderman Percy B. Scurrah and Mrs. Scurrah entertained on Sunday at a tea-hour reception at their King George Terrace home, when guests were Mayor Claude Harrison and Mrs. Harrison, other aldermen and their wives and the city manager, Mr. C. C. Wyatt, and Mrs. Wyatt.

Seasonal decorations, highlighted by a white tree shimmering with multi-colored decorations, were arranged throughout the rooms, with red tulips centred on the refreshments table in the dining room, where Mrs. Harrison and Alderman Margaret Christie presided.

Assisting the host and hostess in receiving guests were their three daughters and their husbands, Mr. and Mrs. William Halkett, Dr. and Mrs. Bernard Kjekstad and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Jennings. Mrs. Scurrah wore for the occasion a rajah red afternoon gown with complementing jewelry in a dogwood design.

A Ganges Harbor Party

A gay party took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Henn, at Ganges to welcome the New Year. Among those present were, Mr. and Mrs. Haugen, Mr. and Mrs. D. Goodman, Mr. and Mrs. H. Day, Mr. and Mrs. S. Donkersley, Mr. and Mrs. J. Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. James Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. T. Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. G. Manley, Mr. and Mrs. W. Greenough, Mr. and Mrs. Harker, Mr. and Mrs. G. Hurst, Mr. and Mrs. K. Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. J. Neiterfield, Mr. and Mrs. L. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. R. Stevenson, Mr. and Mrs. M. Dorval, Mr. and Mrs. C. Beach, Mr. and Mrs. Hobday, Mr. and Mrs. Blane, Mr. and Mrs. R. Brooks, Mrs. K. Dewhurst, Mrs. Hilda Stewart, Mr. McDermid, Mr. Don Brooks, Mrs. O. Stowell, Miss O. Kitchen, Miss W. Fanning, Mr. J. Stewart, Miss S. Henn, Miss L. Henn, Mr. Don Layard, Miss C. Kermode, Mr. D. Jenkins, Mr. G. Henn, Miss B. Rodgers, Mr. D. Hamalton, Mr. Kello Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Kay, Mr. Keith Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. C. Wakelin, Mrs. H. Nobbs, Mr. and Mrs. S. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. C. Wagg, Dr. A. Francis, Mrs. W. Rodgers.

Mrs. R. Saunders, Detroit, Mich., spent the holiday with her sister, Mrs. A. Pinkerton, Cook Street.

Mr. and Mrs. K. F. MacLaren, with their two children, Barbara

and Margot, have returned to their St. Patrick Street home following a visit in Vancouver with Mrs. MacLaren's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lewis. They were accompanied by Mr. MacLaren's mother, Mrs. K. F. MacLaren Sr., who is visiting from Toronto.



Early Winter Nuptial Service

The chapel at HMCS Naden was the scene of recent wedding ceremony which united Margaret Grace Farquharson and John Alexander McKenzie, Chaplain D. G. Peebles officiated for the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Farquharson, Crease Avenue, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. McKenzie, Haney, B.C. (Photo by Jus-Rite.)

Sixty Years of Married Life Marked At Reception Sunday in Son's Home

The 60th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Paulin, Prospect Lake, V.I., was celebrated at a surprise reception at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Paulin, 3067 Larkdowne Road, on Sunday afternoon. "More than 50 relatives and friends called to congratulate the couple."

Bouquets of chrysanthemums, carnations and flowering plants, the gifts of friends, with clusters of silver bells, decorated the living room and dining room. A corsage of rosebuds was worn by Mrs. Paulin and Mr. Paulin had a boutonniere, gifts of the host and hostess.

Afternoon tea was served in the dining room from a lace-covered table centred with a two-tier wedding cake, with white candles in silver holders. Mrs. J. C. Nimmo and Mrs. R. Williams presided at the tea and Mrs. G. A. R. Stelck assisted in serving. Mrs. J. Nimmo sang "The Second Minuet," Mrs. V. Rush and Mrs. Nimmo played piano duets, and Mr. Leonard Stelck, accompanied by his wife, sang two solos.

Telegrams were received from the couple's eldest son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Paulin, in Akron, O.; their grandson and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Paulin, also in Akron; a grand-daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. McFarlane, in Sacramento, Calif., and another grand-

son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Paulin in San Francisco. A telephone call was enjoyed from Mr. and Mrs. K. Sheyer and Mr. Ben Jenkins, in Elcerrito, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Paulin were married in Zurich, Ont., on Dec. 27, 1892, lived in Bay City, Mich., for two years, returned to Ontario for several years then to Dauphin, Man., and finally to Regina, where they were for 37 years. Four years ago they came to Prospect Lake, V.I.

"They have two sons, Percy in Akron, O., and Harry in Victoria, and a daughter, Mrs. T. Hay (Grace Helen), in Edmonton. There are six grandchildren. In their younger years Mr. and Mrs. Paulin were very active in church and social work. They were members of the Methodist Church and now of the United Church.

"They give as the secret of their happy married life, 'To love God and live a Christian life.'"

Among invited guests at the reception yesterday were Mrs. A. H. F. Stelck, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Nimmo, Mr. and Mrs. V. Rush, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. R. Stelck, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. R. Stelck, Mrs. J. C. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hawthorne, Mr. and Mrs. Don Hawthorne, Miss Carol Hawthorne, Mr. and Mrs. J. Gillespie, Mr. J. E. Jones, Dr. and Mrs. F. E. H. James, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Lindsay, Mr. W. J. Hyde, Mrs. T. E. Barrington, Mr. and Mrs. H. Matthy, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Ban-

Women

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An Outstanding Wedding of New Year

A wedding of particular interest to Victorians and to many on the mainland took place on Saturday afternoon when Shirley Jane Wallace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wallace, Beach Drive, exchanged nuptial vows with Paul George

Arsens, son of Mrs. Mabel Arsens, Victoria, and Mr. George Arsens, Peniticon. Rev. J. L. W. McLean officiated at the ceremony in the home of the bride's parents. (Photo by Goertz.)

PTA NOTES

Royal Oak—Films will be shown on the new screen donated by Mr. and Mrs. Ammann, at the meeting of Royal Oak Elementary P.T.A., Wednesday at 8.

Mt. Douglas—At meeting of Mt. Douglas P.T.A. to be held Wednesday at 8 in the school, Dr. J. L. Gayton, Victoria health doctor, will be guest speaker.

Frank Hobbs—Mr. Johns of provincial normal school will speak at meeting of Frank Hobbs P.T.A. on Wednesday at 8. Several pupils will entertain with selections on musical instruments.



Newlyweds to Make Home in Vancouver

Following a honeymoon up-island, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hewitt Warrander will make their home in Vancouver. Rev. Moir A. J. Waters officiated at the recent nuptial service in First United Church which united the former Eileen Bernice Watkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Watkins, Cumberland Road, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Warrander, Cadboro Bay Road. (Photo by Leonard Holmes.)

Chile Has First Woman Senator

SANTIAGO, Chile (AP)—Mrs. Maria De La Cruz, outspoken champion of Chile's underprivileged, has become the first woman to win a seat in the senate.

The official count Sunday night showed she had rolled up 107,585 votes in the election to fill the seat which President Carlos Ibanez vacated to run for the presidency last September.

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Dior Designs Prepared for British Market Feature Return of 'New Look'

LONDON (CP)—Are you wondering how the flapper look talked of at year's end would look on you. If so, relax. Christian Dior has done it again.

The dapper Frenchman, who shook the fashion world in 1947 with the New Look, once more emphasizes curves. This was made clear in a December showing at London's Savoy Hotel—an exhibition which incidentally was the first display of Dior designs prepared exclusively for the British Market.

The models shown, made in Britain from master patterns supplied by Dior and personally supervised by him, will be on sale in British stores starting in February. Most of them are modified versions of the New Look, which may mean that the flapper look is dead. They will sell from 30 guineas to around £100.

Children's Party Staged by Club

Members of Chatelaine Club entertained recently at a children's party at the YWCA. Movies were enjoyed followed by supper for 70 guests. Miss Christina Gardner, assisted by president, Mrs. H. Holdsworth, presented each child with a gift and a bag of candy. Miss Kay Burt-Smith, who is leaving her position at the "Y" to be married this month, was presented with a gift of china.

Club members are Mesdames J. Allan, C. D. Davis, D. Day, L. De Costa, E. Demeter, W. F. Gattinger, M. Gilles, E. W. Cokey, G. Hughes, R. Jarvis, G. E. Johns, W. H. Parker, J. Parker, D. Porteous, B. P. Sessions, G. Taylor, B. Wadsworth, V. G. Walton, E. J. Kennedy, H. Lindstrom, A. Holm, V. J. Bartram, W. Sim, D. J. Heatley, C. Shipclark and H. Holdsworth.

CLUB CALENDAR

Britannia Lodge No. 216, LOBA, Tuesday at 7.30, Orange Hall.

St. Louis College Mothers' Club tonight at 7.30. Members will attend a house warming at the brother's home following the meeting.

CLUB WOMEN'S NEWS

Card Party—Brother Lyons drew winning ticket for a cedar chest raffled in connection with card party held recently by Mothers' Club of St. Louis College. Refreshments were served.

St. John Ambulance

Monday—B.C. Electric Ambulance Division, 8 p.m.; Victoria Nursing Division, No. 61, 8 p.m.

Tuesday—Senior and industrial first aid classes.

Wednesday—Home nursing classes will continue at 7.30 p.m. Thursday—St. John Ambulance Division, No. 65, 8 p.m.; Denton Holmes Nursing Division, No. 148, 8 p.m.

Friday—Senior and industrial first aid classes.

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The return of fashions of the New Look type will be welcome news for women whose height or figure does not go with calf-hugging skirts or barrel jackets. They can probably plan ahead for the Coronation in the expectation that neat waists and a swinging skirt will be the rage.

The straight look may not die easily in North America, where it became fashionable overnight, but women here will scarcely notice its passing. A waistless suit worn in London is still sufficiently new to draw attention.

The Savoy show was regarded as a fashion event of the first magnitude. Strict precautions were taken against gate-crashers. The fashionable audience in-

cluded film star Vivien Leigh and Mrs. Anthony Eden.

For the coming coronation season there were dresses for every occasion, sculptured, graceful and flowing. Designs were elegant and easy to wear. Travel coats had wide and no collars, evening gowns were long and short but both had strapless tops.

Tailored suits had easy fullness, with neatly-waisted jackets dipping at the back. Jackets had small round collars, rounded shoulders and a general sleeve length of seven-eighths. Pieces of material made up the skirt of a dress that retained the straight look despite its fullness. It appeared to be accordion pleated.

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DICK TRACY

YOU'RE SURE THOSE TWO WHISTLES WERE ENOUGH TO BRING HIM HERE?

YES, JUST TWO WHISTLES.

SHE HAS NO TEETH! HER WHISTLES ALWAYS ENDED WITH A SPITTING SOUND.

THE SIGNALS I HEARD DIDN'T HAVE THAT SPITTING SOUND.

THE OLD LADY DIDN'T SEND THOSE SIGNALS—SOMEBODY ELSE DID!

NANCY

HI, NANCY.

WHAT'S THE IDEA?

I DIDN'T WANT HIM TO BE LEARNING BAD HABITS.

COOKIES.

DOG FOOD.

WHO TOOK MY TOPCOAT OUT OF MY CLOSET?

I THOUGHT, SINCE YOU WOULDN'T BE WEARING IT TODAY, IT WOULD BE A GOOD TIME TO SEND IT OUT TO CLEANERS.

AND WHAT MADE YOU THINK THAT I WOULDN'T BE WEARING IT TODAY?

HOW COULD YOU? IT'S AT THE CLEANERS.

AROUND HOME

POP WRIGHT'S EDITED HIS LAST NEWSPAPER. HE'S BEEN STRANDED WITH A WIRE GUITAR STRING!

MY HUNCH SAYS THE KILLERS WERE DEEN CHASIN' WERE JUST IN HERE!

JUDG'N BY THIS SCATTERED TYPE, THEY MADE DEAD CERTAIN TODAY'S EDITION WOULD NEVER GO TO PRESS!

YEAH—BUT WHY?

THIS PIECE OF CRUSHED NEWSPAPER IN POP'S HAND MIGHT TELL US!

HOPALONG

MOM-POP!

OSZARK-OUR BOY!

AIN'T SEEN YUH SINCE LAS SPRING, SON—SO TELL US NOW YUH BEEN MAKIN' OUT IN THE BIG CITY!

WULL US BUGS WON'T FLAG AN' TH' WORLD SERIES!

—TH' REPUBLICANS WON'T ELECTION!

SNOOZE! AN' AN' THOUGHT AL SMITH WUZ A CHINCH!

—THEM US WILDCATS WON'T PRO FOOTBALL CROWN—AN' IN CASE YUH AIN'T SEEN A NOOSPAPU LATELY!

OSZARK

PEEL OFF THE TAPES, NIP—AND KEEP HIM COVERED TUCK!

I WANT TO TELL YOU ABOUT A PERFECT CRIME, GUMSHOE! A MURDER WHERE THEY'LL FIND NO CLUES—AND NO BODY!

IT'S TOO BAD THE GREAT KERRY DRAKE WON'T BE ALIVE TO SOLVE IT!

KERRY DRAKE

AFTER HE BOARDED OUR SHIP THIS JOKER SHOT SOME KIND OF GAS IN OUR FACES AND WE PASSED OUT!

ANY IDEA WHERE HE WAS FROM, BARRIE?

NO-O-O. HE WAS BUILT LIKE A WRESTLER—TOO STOCKY FOR A MARTIAN. WASN'T HE BRANDY?

YEAH, AND HE DIDN'T RIDE A FLYING SAUCER, SO HE'S NOT FROM CALLISTO.

MEANWHILE... AH! TRANSPORTATION!

CHRIS WELKIN

MY STARS, WHAT GAVE OOP THE IDEA OF RETIRING? DID HE GET SORE ABOUT SOMETHING?

NOT THAT I KNOW OF—I'D JUST GIVEN HIM A NICE OUTFIT OF CLOTHING FOR CHRISTMAS.

SO NOW I GOTTA WEAR CLOTHES, EH?

WELL, IF LOOKIN' PRETTY IS SO ALL-IMPORTANT, DOC CAN JUST GO GET SOMEBODY ELSE TO DO HIS TIME EXPLORIN'.

YEEZZ... HE DANG WELL CAN!

ALLY OOP

IS THAT KING ARRO?

YES—HE'S GOT A NEW JOB NOW—HE'S A "MOON".

I'M USING HIM AS THE BASIS FOR A NEW LUNAR CALENDAR. I'M MAKING WANT TO SEE IT?

WHAT ARE ALL THE NUMBERS FOR?

THAT'S IT! THAT'S THE CALENDAR! ALL CALENDARS HAVE NUMBERS!

THEY DO?

WHATAYA KNOW! THE PROF WAS RIGHT! SEE? DOWN HERE—YOU HAVE TO LOOK REAL CLOSE.

I DON'T SEE... OH, YES! NOW I DO! WELL, BLESS MY SOUL!

KING ARRO

YEP—LAST YEAR WAS QUITE A "SPRINCE"—EVEN WHIT LITTLE CAN MEASURE 'BOUT IT, AFTER I GOT BACK MY MEMORY—

SO NOW WE'RE HERE IN FUTILITY—NOTHIN' EVER HAPPENS IN FUTILITY, THEY SAY—OR WHY FOR THREE HUNNERT YEARS—

BATTY' ON QU-QU, EH? THREE GOOSE EGGS—THAT CAN'T GO ON! GOTTA GET A HIT SOME DAY—MAYBE WE'RE JUST IN TIME 'TSEE IT, EH, SANDY?

ARF!

ORPHAN ANNIE

BOARDING HOUSE

EGAD, MARTHA! YOU MUST SHARE MY ROOM AND ACCOMPANY ME TO THE CORONATION OF QUEEN ELIZABETH!—UM! YOU'LL NEED A BLACK SILK GOWN, A ROPE OF PEARLS, AND A TIARA AND SLIPPERS ENCRUSTED WITH JEWELS!

GRAB YOUR LANCE AND GO JUMP ON YOUR HORSE, SIR LANCELOT—AND TAKE THE SNATCH OFF THOSE MUFFINS!—NO, MY REGAL CHAJA, I'M STAYING RIGHT HERE TO WAVE THE SCEPTER OVER MY RETINUE OF HUNGRY SUBJECTS AND DEAD BEATS!

IF SHE WENT AWAY, THEY'D EAT THE WAX FRUIT!

JUST OUR WAY

ISN'T SKATING RAPIDOUS? LOOK AT THE GOLD OF THE FIELDLIGHT BLENDS WITH THE SILVER OF THE MOON! LOOK AT THE REFLECTIONS—LOOK AT—

WHEN YOU LOVE TO LIVE FOREVER.

MARK TRAIL

YOU'LL HAVE TO KEEP UP YOUR IMPERSONATION FOR A WHILE, MR. TRAIL—UNTIL MARYLYN IS COMPLETELY WELL!

HOLD ON, DOCTOR—I CAN'T PRETEND TO BE PAUL DICKSON INDEFINITELY... NEVVEN ANHOW I ALREADY FEEL LIKE A HEEL!

I KNOW IT'S A LOT TO ASK, MARK, BUT IT WOULD SAVE MARYLYN'S LIFE, AND IT CERTAINLY CAN'T HURT YOU!

YOU HAVEN'T A GIRL WHO MIGHT MISUNDERSTAND, HAVE YOU, TRAIL?

NO, DOCTOR—I HAVEN'T A GIRL... NOT ANYMORE!

BUZZ SAWYER

IT'S IMPORTANT, DON'T LET IT OUT OF YOUR SIGHT, IT CONTAINS DOCUMENTS THAT WILL HELP YOUR BROTHER SPOKE HARRY SPARROW.

DON'T WORRY!

WOULD YOU LIKE FOR ME TO PUT YOUR BROFECASE ON THE RACK, SENOR?

THANKS, BUT I'LL HOLD IT.

TWO HOURS LATER HE ARRIVES BACK IN PANATUELA.

HERE'S YOUR BROFECASE, SENOR. YOU MUST HAVE DROPPED IT WHILE YOU WERE ASLEEP.

BLADE WINTERS

HOPE LOWELL'S IMPROVISED CONCERT SINGS AND...

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THANK GOODNESS YOU DON'T TELL ME I WOULD HAVE BEEN PETRIFIED!

THE DOCTOR SAYS

By EDWIN P. JORDAN, M.D.

Girls Told Shaving Makes Hair Grow Back Faster and Coarser

Today's first question is one which the men don't have to worry about.

Q.—A group of us high school girls have been debating about shaving our legs. We have been told that it would make the hair grow faster and coarser. Is this true? M.H.

A.—Shaving the legs will perhaps not make the hair grow faster, but it will make it come in thicker and coarser. This concession to vanity should be postponed as long as possible.

Q.—Please tell me what thin mine hydrochloride is generally prescribed for? Would taking 100 milligrams daily be harmful to a woman of 45? M.M.

A.—Thiamine is a complicated chemical compound also known as vitamin B-1. Its absence from the diet causes a vitamin-deficiency disease known as beriberi. It is given for various kinds of neuritis and a great many other things in which the doctor suspects a deficiency of this vitamin in the natural diet. It would not be likely to harm a woman of 45.

Q.—Some time ago I read an article which said that a baby nurses from its own breast while inside the mother's womb. Is this true? Mrs. E.S.

A.—It is not true. The nourishment of an unborn baby is obtained from the mother's blood stream.

Q.—Is it true that a person with high blood pressure cannot be fitted with glasses? Reader.

A.—Glasses can be fitted for a person with high blood pressure to correct the same defects of vision—such as astigmatism or nearsightedness—which may be present in another person. But glasses cannot be expected to correct some of the complications of high blood pressure which may occur in the deeper portions of the eye.

Q.—Could a constant roaring in the head be an indication of a tumor of the brain? R.B.C.

A.—It could be, but it is much more likely to reflect some disorder of the internal portion of the ear, or high blood pressure, than a brain tumor.

Q.—Can a person have polio and not know it? Are people with polio compelled to go to a hospital? If not, must the family be quarantined? Are polio and infantile paralysis the same thing? D.U.

A.—Yes, a person can have polio and not know it. It is believed that a good many people probably are infected with the virus which causes the disease, but do not get the nerve symptoms and consequently escape diagnosis.

Not all people who have polio have to go to the hospital, and an article in one of the medical journals, not long ago, suggested that more could be treated successfully at home.

Quarantine regulations vary, so the third question is difficult to answer. Polio, or poliomyelitis, and infantile paralysis are the same disease.

BLADE WINTERS STORY UPDATED

Due to delays in the year-end mails, the episodes in the Blade Winters story for last week were not received by The Times. To bring readers up to date, Blade Winters sees lovely Hope Lowell singing with the Salvation Army and realized she had great talent. He arranges for her to visit the Revere television office and escorts her through the studios and control room, showing how TV is broadcast. From there on readers can pick up the story in today's episode.

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Closing Averages

Dow Jones closing stock averages:
30 Industrials 293.79, up 1.65
20 Railways 111.37, up 0.10
15 Utilities 62.57, up 0.22
65 Stocks 113.86, up 0.46
Volume: 2,130,000 shares.

Toronto closing averages:
Industrials 255.24, up 2.21
Golds 86.53, up 1.32
Base metals 185.19, up 1.17
Utilities 64.44, up 0.10
Golds 71.98, up 0.75
Sales: 251,000.

Montreal closing averages:
Industrials 210.70, up 2.10
Utilities 61.60, up 0.10
Golds 71.98, up 0.75
Sales: 251,000.

N.Y. Climbs

NEW YORK (AP)—The stock market swung ahead into high ground today with emphasis on steel and railroads.

Gains and losses spread out over a range of about a point. Minus signs were scarce.

Higher stocks included U.S. Steel, Republic Steel, Studebaker, Santa Fe, Standard Oil, N.J., Pan American World Airways, Kennecott Copper, Dome Mines, Loew's, American Cyanamid, Radio Corp. and National Distillers.

Canadian issues were mixed. Canadian Pacific gained 1/4, and Dome Mines 1/2. International Nickel and Distillers Seagram were unchanged.

Lake Shore was ahead 3/4. Giant Yellowknife was up 3/4, and Royalite Oil was unchanged.

Toronto Gains

TORONTO (CP)—Stock market prices pushed steadily upward today, continuing recent advances.

All sections showed gains of more than half a point on the exchange's indexes, with industrials and western oils leading the rise. Golds and base metals added slightly smaller amounts.

Senior golds rose, sparked by interest in Giant Yellowknife and Lakeshore, and junior producers showed a long list of gains, led by Madson and East Malartic.

Holding companies drew strength from a 35-cent gain in Frobiisher. Base metals advanced in spite of mixed prices in higher-priced issues.

A number of individual western oil issues slipped but the section showed a majority of gains. Briffata, Calgary and Edmonton and Okalta rose.

Montreal Higher

MONTREAL (CP)—Prices continued steady to higher in moderately active dealings today on the stock market.

Unchanged issues outnumbered gainers while the majority of advances were fractional. Trans Mountain Pipe Line was up a point at 36.

In oils, Gaspe, Western Homestead, New Continental and Empire oils firmed.

Vancouver Firm

VANCOUVER, Noon—Stocks were firm in moderate turnover in the early session at Vancouver Exchange today.

Base metals attracted wider support with advances recorded in a broad list of junior issues. Oils were steady to slightly higher. Industrials were strong.

In the mines, Kootenay Bell traded at 13; Kootenay Bell Metals 10; American Standard 10; Beaver Lodge \$1.45 and Western Tungsten \$3.60.

In the oils, Federated Pete \$7.40; Pacific Pete \$12; York 47c.

London Cheerful

LONDON (Reuters)—The stock exchange opened on a cheerful note today bolstered by "take-over" shares. The domestic showing was made in mining. Kaffirs improved and held firm. Coppers and diamonds were also in demand.

Foreign bonds were irregular. Japanese closed about unchanged. Germans were firm.

GRAIN

WINNIPEG

WINNIPEG (CP)—Prices dropped lower today on the Winnipeg grain exchange under liberal liquidation generated by the active season now selling, hedging, this support and local spreading of the in the nearby contracts and selling in the deferred months.

New seasonal lows were scored by the May and July contracts and the Oct. and Dec. contracts were off sharply.

Export loadings of Canadian wheat totaled almost 3,000,000 bushels, including Japan 1,000,000; Switzerland 600,000; United Kingdom 400,000; and Bolivia 120,000. Trade reports also said 100,000 bushels were sold to Pakistan.

Prices for class two wheat northwestern were down 1/2 cent from Friday. Class two durum was up 1/2 cent. 15A northwestern and durum were unchanged. Class two wheat was 115 1/2.

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WEIRD AND WONDERFUL ELECTION

Marilyn Running Against Rock for Universal Mayor

UNIVERSAL CITY, Calif. (AP)—Some 2,000 voters go to the polls today to wind up a weird but authentic election campaign.

This tiny community is legally incorporated as a township with its own mayor, post office, fire department and police department. However, due to the foresight of some long-forgotten press agent, its boundaries coincide with those of Universal-International movie studio.

Marilyn Maxwell is running against Rock Hudson for mayor. If elected, she promises

to go to Korea—"It worked for Ike."

Hudson, meanwhile, put up a whirlwind campaign by kiss-babies all over the lot—some even under 18.

Miss Maxwell countered by inviting male voters out on the back lot to watch her take a shower. This bit of political skulduggery took place under a 30-foot waterfall for a scene in "East of Sumatra."

Tony Curtis is up against starlet Jackie Loughery for honorary fire chief. She says: "Curtis can start a fire—but can be put one out."

Drama Festival Official Sees Growing Interest

OTTAWA (CP)—Interest in Canada's professional and semi-professional theatre is increasing, says Richard MacDonald of the Dominion Drama Festival. He attributes this to the fact that the public as a whole is becoming "more receptive to live three dimensional productions."

Mr. MacDonald, executive secretary-treasurer of the festival who has just completed a three-month tour of Canadian drama centres, foresaw a bright future for the festival's 14th session due to open early in 1953 when the regional competitions get underway.

He visited some 25 cities and towns and found an increased interest in the festival.

Mr. MacDonald said he found indications that more Canadian written plays may be entered in the regional contests.

Ottawa's own Little Theatre Workshop has invited entries for its 15th playwriting competition with prizes of \$100, \$75 and \$50 for original one-act plays.

The competition open to all Canadian playwrights, professional and non-professional, closes March 31. Plays must be one act only, with production time of not less than 25 minutes and not more than 45 minutes. They must be submitted in English.

York Players Back To Serious Drama At Holiday's End

Members of the York Company have abandoned the free and easy style of playing, permitted during the run of their Christmas pantomime, "Alice Through the Looking Glass," and tonight they will get back into the serious business of the stage when they open their first show of the new year, "Ghost Train."

The new show is a mystery, concerning six people left stranded at a small railroad station late at night.

Taking lead roles are Michael Rothery, Karen Kadler, Robert Tabor, Diana Ricardo, Dewey Harless and Doris Sheridan. Also in the cast are Alexander Gray, William Fallowfield, Gwen Downes, Maurice Corbett, Gordon Mathews, Myrland Evans and Ernest Keller.

Bookstand Offerings To Children Attacked

Much of the reading matter at present on sale at bookstands, which purports to be for children, is of no value to them whatsoever, Capt. Stuart Morgan told members of the Kipling Society at their annual dinner meeting Saturday at the Strathcona Hotel.

He urged that children be encouraged to read the works of Kipling, rather than modern-day offerings.

K. C. Symons was chairman of the meeting.

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Phil Taylor, Former Great Skater, Here

One of the all-time great novelty skaters of this continent is in Victoria this week in the person of Phil Taylor, ad-man for the Ice Cycles of 1953, which will appear at the Memorial Arena January 12 to 17.

Phil is just one of the many Canadians who help to make the famed production known across the continent. Though born in London, England, Phil grew up in Saskatoon, won the Canadian speed skating title in 1914 before marching off to the First World War.

In 1920 he turned "pro" and toured every country in Europe for 19 years giving more than 15,000 exhibitions of barrel-jumping, speed and figure-skating.

UNIQUE ACT

His career with the Ice Cycles show saw him perfect an act done on stilts... one never duplicated to this day. Victorians who saw the 1951 ice show here will remember him as the elongated facsimile of "Johnny Walker."

It was during the 1952 visit to this city that Phil deserted the ice in his 56th year to become stage director—of the million dollar show. This year he travels ahead of the show as advertising man.

To hear Phil tell it, it isn't his own career that brought the most fame to the Taylor family. He is proudest of the champion he brought to fame as his star waned... his daughter, Megan Taylor.

Megan won the British fancy skating championship in 1932 when she was 11. She won the world's championship in 1938 and defended it in 1939. Barbara Anne Scott assumed the title after Megan retired undefeated to marry and live in Jamaica in 1945.

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Hurting through the air is Bill Knapp, one of the Ice Cycles stars filling the boots of novelty skater, Phil Taylor, who since his retirement from the ice has busied himself as advertising man for the big production, Ice Cycles of 1953 plays here Jan. 12 to 17.

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FOX—"The Lavender Hill Mob," Two complete shows at 6:50 and 9 p.m.

OAK BAY—"Carrie" at 7:02 and 9:10.

ODEON—"Stars and Stripes Forever" at 1:23, 3:26, 5:29, 7:32, 9:35.

PLAZA—"The Thief" plus "Fargo."

RIO—"The Blue Veil," plus "Flight to Mars." Doors open 6:30 p.m. Continuous showing from 6:45 p.m.

ROYAL—"Million Dollar Mermaid" at 1:51, 4:22, 6:53, 9:30.

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Burma to End Defense Agreement

RANGOON, Burma (Reuters)—Burma has given a year's notice to Britain to terminate their defense agreement. Under the agreement a British services mission stationed here was responsible for training and equipping the country's armed forces.

O'Grady to Join Edmonton Flyers

EDMONTON (CP)—Francis Timothy O'Grady, 23-year-old forward from Cobalt, Ont., will be in the line-up of Edmonton's short-handed Flyers when they meet Seattle Bombers in a Western Hockey League game here tonight. O'Grady was sent to Edmonton by St. Louis Flyers of the American League, another Detroit-Red Wing farm club.

Ridgway Uneasy Over Defense

PARIS (Reuters)—Gen. Matthew B. Ridgway, supreme Allied commander in Europe, today voiced uneasiness over the defense build-up of Western Europe. "I do not regard progress as satisfactory in the light of the mission assigned to me and the potential estimates of enemy capabilities," he told a press conference.

Arrest in Hoax Wire Case Made

SEATTLE, Wash. (BUP)—A Seattle furniture salesman has been arrested by Federal Bureau of Investigation agents on charges he sent a hoax telegram in a vain effort to halt the execution of two brothers convicted of murder. Special FBI agent R. D. Auerbach identified the man as John Edward Thomas, 43. He will be arraigned before U.S. Commissioner John Burns in Seattle this afternoon. The wire arrived at the Walla Walla Prison just after Turner and Utah Wilson were executed.

Filchok Barred From Meeting

EDMONTON (CP)—Frank Filchok, deposed coach of the Edmonton Eskimo football club, said today that his personal request for permission to attend tonight's nomination meeting of the Touchdown Club has been denied. President Red McCall of the Touchdowners said: "Frank is not a member, and if we let him come, where are we going to draw the line? We have to look after our members first. Anyway, I fail to see that any useful purpose would be served by Frank being there."

CODING DOCUMENTS HINT RED PLOTS

MONTREAL (BUP)—The anti-subversive squad began a giant translation job today after the rooming-house death of a Greek immigrant uncovered stacks of coded documents believed part of an international Communist conspiracy.

Two hundred loose-leaf books and 50 notepads were found in the room where Constantine Stathopoulos, 60, died Saturday night apparently from natural causes. A steamer trunk contained a submachine gun and 200 rounds of ammunition and a machete.

Capt. Louis Champagne and Lieut. Boyczum of the city police anti-subversive squad said the documents and letters were from "every country behind the Iron Curtain" including Red China and North Korea.

Boyczum said a tentative check on the writings made it clear that "this guy was wrapped up in a major Communist conspiracy."

He said one notebook found in the room contained names of anti-Communist Greeks "marked for liquidation if the Communists took over that country."

Stathopoulos was a card-carrying member of the Canadian Labor Progressive (Communist) Party.

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PRE-SUMMER VOTE HINTED BY PREMIER

B.C., Alberta to Ask
Boundary Plebiscite

VANCOUVER (CP)—Premier Bennett hinted strongly today that a provincial general election will be held this spring.

He said in an interview that British Columbians will go to the polls "before the hot summer months."

The premier also said the British Columbia and Alberta governments are asking the federal government to hold a plebiscite among the people of the Yukon and Northwest Territories. The plebiscite would seek their opinion on extending the boundaries of B.C. and Alberta from the 60th to the 65th parallel.

"There is no question of exerting pressure," Mr. Bennett said. "We feel the vast northern development about to take place has its impetus and origin in B.C. and Alberta."

If the boundaries were extended north, B.C. would absorb part of the Yukon and part of the Northwest Territories, he said. Alberta would absorb part of the N.W.T.

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Rosenbergs Win Brief Reprieve

Judge Promises Execution Stay
For Clemency Appeal to Truman

NEW YORK (BUP)—United States Federal Judge Irving Kaufman has promised to grant a stay of execution for condemned atomic spies Ethel and Julius Rosenberg. Kaufman says he will grant the stay only so they will have time to appeal to President Truman for clemency.

Judge Kaufman sentenced the Rosenbergs and denied an appeal for clemency last week. He saw Emanuel H. Bloch, the Rosenbergs' attorney, today.

The times were set by U.S. Marshal William A. Carroll, since the Rosenbergs are federal prisoners.

Reports from the prison said the Rosenbergs were not disturbed by the so far futile legal manoeuvring to delay their execution and were confident their sentences would be commuted.

Meantime, six representatives of three religious groups in this country issued a joint statement charging that certain persons were urging commutation of the Rosenbergs' death sentence "as a bribe for Communist propaganda mills."

The statement was issued as several hundred persons met in Washington for a "clemency gathering" designed to seek a commutation of sentences for the condemned couple.

OTTAWA (CP)—Thirty men and women who describe themselves as members of the "National Committee to Save the Rosenbergs" began a vigil before the U.S. embassy here today.

After a half-hour of marching, the group had dwindled to five men carrying placards and three women handing out leaflets to passers by.

An RCMP official said last night the demonstration is Communist-inspired and directed behind the scenes by Communists using people who don't understand "what it's all about."

They said the final budget figure is very close to the amount which the department asked for spending during the fiscal year 1954 which begins next July 1.

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Martin replied: "We would be out of office in a week if we did."

When Mr. Buckley said 75 per cent of their expenses were salaries and wages and asked what they could do, the minister said: "You don't think we would cut the limb away and let you fall, do you?"

He added that they had almost a whole year to sort things out.

The next six months, he said, might bring a big deflationary trend which would put hospitals in a good position.

He made no reply when a Prince George questioner asked him what would happen "if we wired the minister we have a strike on our heads."

Only Third World
War Would Oust
Reds Says Dr. Chan

VANCOUVER (BUP)—Dr. Stanley Chan, political science professor from Loyola College, Los Angeles, says it would take a Third World War to dislodge the Chinese Communists from China.

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Jennings Bay 115, Royal Star 107, Min-Hygro 110, Gray Brook 112, Jolira 112, Tined 109, Bets Key 112, Opal Belmont 110, Gambling Lady 103, Trial 107, Cyaline 107, Nante-Glo 107, Fox V 112, Comperant 112, Slumberland 109, Connie Rab 102, Mardee C 105.

THIRD RACE—Mile and quarter:
Rider's Model 108, Opal B 110, Galleg 118, Anxiously 110, Tuck of Or 113, Reese G. 112, Little Don G. 118, Patricia G 115, Mi's Polly 118, Rance Runner 118, Blind Play 112.

FOURTH RACE—Mile and sixteenth:
Dunbro 106, Jack Tar 111, Madam Debarke 110, Princeton W 108, Carroll Hart 108, Maid o' Mistle 101, Battle Chief 116, Virginia Oaks 110, Rhenian 119, Mary Jane G 114, Fire 114, Halarah 114, Intention 114, Prince Marque 114, Manipulator 109, Hardback 119, Bayou Rose 114.

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Family Pride 110, Favy Adeline 113, Callerton 110, Battling Time 104, Summer Duck 115, Pancy Step 105, Dynast 113, Anher Don 113, My Divided 110, Old Pat 113.

SIXTH RACE—Mile and sixteenth:
Nappy Go Lucky 118, Cardinal Lady 110, Plunger 106, Ours Challenge 101, A-Kukla 107, Ours Challenge 101, Crowsfoot 107, A-Rommel 118, Pie-the-Pilot 109.

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and sixteenth:
Brown Bantam 115, Fighting Mood 116, Whistlen 115, Cleveland 115, Exchequer 114, Deep Blue 111, Ventoline 115, Seplen Wine 119.

NINTH RACE—Mile and sixteenth:
Milemini 104, Dominion 115, Flying Turkey 115, Oley Chis 115, More Cheers 104, Targent 112, Contrary Jean 109, Good Story 113, Gold Bands 104, Fighting Day 119, Verona Sands 110, Hal's Chick 112.

More Than 80 Die In Sinking of Small Philippine Vessel

MANILA (Reuters)—More than 80 persons were drowned with the small motorboat Durano, carrying 170 passengers, sank in rough weather off Cebu Island, central Philippines, according to reports reaching here today.

The disaster occurred Friday. Some reports said the boat's officers were to blame for carrying so many passengers on a frail craft built to carry only 40.

Vancouver Stocks
Closing Prices

Stocks were higher all around in fair trading volume at Vancouver Exchange in the final session today.

Mines and oils chalked a broad list of moderate advances. Industrials, too, were ahead.

Silver Standard traded at \$1.70, up 5; Quinsino 57 cents, up 2; Estrella, 85 cents; Beaver Lodge, \$1.40; Monterey, \$6.15; Kootenay Belle traded at 13 cents.

Among the oils, Calmont at \$1.65 gained 3; Home, \$13; Central Leduc \$4.20, up 20.

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Last Straw Breaks Driver's Heart

Truck driver Leonard Reikki's hopes for a happy new year . . . and maybe some of his resolutions, too . . . went by the board today when the last few pounds loaded on his truck proved just beyond its limit of endurance and it balked. Right

up on its hind wheels it went, and tossed the driver's cabin high. Tennyson Avenue was littered but the truck was undamaged and Reikki, except for his feelings, was unhurt. (Times Photo.)

MONTREAL POLICE TACKLE CODED DOCUMENTS

Greek's Death Leaves Clues To What May Be Red Conspiracy

MONTREAL (BUP)—The anti-subversive squad began a giant translation job today after the rooming-house death of a Greek immigrant uncovered stacks of coded documents believed part of an international Communist conspiracy.

Two hundred loose-leaf books and 50 notepads were found in the room where Constantine Stathopoulos, 60, died Saturday night apparently from natural causes. A steamer trunk contained a submachine gun and 200 rounds of ammunition and a machete.

Capt. Louis Champagne and Lieut. Boyczum of the city police anti-subversive squad said the documents and letters were from "every country behind the Iron Curtain" including Red China and North Korea.

Boyczum said a tentative check on the writings made it clear that "this guy was wrapped up in a major Communist conspiracy."

He said one notebook found in the room contained names of anti-Communist Greeks "marked for liquidation if the Communists took over that country."

Stathopoulos was a card-carrying member of the Canadian Labor Progressive (Communist) Party.

"Judging from what we found the man knew for three years as Costa Poulos was one of the big boys of a Communist organization with connections in at least 20 countries," Boyczum told the British United Press.

"It will take us at least a month to read through it all, and even then we won't be finished. We found a submachine gun and 200 bullets at the bottom of a steamer trunk. We unearthed a wicked-looking, machete sharp as a razor. There was enough Red propaganda to stock a lending library."

"And there's no telling how long it will take to figure out the stuff written in about 50 notebooks and 200 loose-leaf books. A lot of it is handwritten in Greek, and a translator told us some of the Greek is in code."

Anti-subversive squad officers were called in when detectives made a routine check of a report of the Greek's death.

JOINED PARTY 1930

They found papers, including Stathopoulos' membership book in the Labor-Progressive Party, in bags under the bed and in a cupboard.

The LPP book showed that the heavily-built Greek joined the party about 1930. Old travel documents showed he made several trips to the United States, and other papers identified him as chief Canadian agent for a Greek-language Communist newspaper published in New York.

N.Y. Strike Ties Up 3,500,000 Travelers

NEW YORK (UP)—New Yorkers going to work today faced a subway traffic jam that may go down as the worst in the city's history.

Striking bus drivers who caused the snafu meanwhile promised to stay off the job "until the flames of hell freeze over" if necessary.

An estimated 3,500,000 persons who ordinarily ride buses to work became displaced persons in the city's already crowded transportation system when drivers on 127 bus routes quit working. Although the strike began four days ago its full effect was not felt until today.

Convening of high school classes throughout the affected areas was postponed an hour

(until 10 a.m., EST) to keep boys and girls from competing with office workers for precious rush-hour space on subway cars.

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About 4,000 drivers at a mass meeting Sunday loudly voted to reject a settlement formula offered by Mayor Vincent Impellitteri. They then laid plans to stage a mass demonstration outside city hall today.

Quill also threatened to "shut down the subways" if the city board of transportation, which operates the trains, tried to expand operations to accommodate the increased load of passengers.

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Purge Shapes In E. Germany

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The indicated purge of East German Reds probably will involve former Soviet zone propaganda chief Gerhart Eisler, who was fired last week, observers said. Eisler is a Jew.

The East German Communist party central committee also accused lesser German Reds in a resolution which tied the Germans to the November trial in Prague of former secretary general of the Czech Communist party Rudolf Slansky and former Czech Foreign Minister Vladimir Clementis.

The resolution, published in the Communist party newspaper Neues Deutschland, accused Paul Merker, 49, one-time Politburo member, and Kurt Mueller, deputy chief of the West German party, of being American agents, Zionists, Titoists and Trotskyites.

ELIZABETH COINS AVAILABLE AT LOCAL BANKS IN FEW DAYS

No Queen Elizabeth coins are available in Victoria yet but bankers expect to have some on hand within two or three days. City bank managers report they have been officially advised that supplies of the newly-minted silver pieces have been shipped to the west coast and are available at the B.C. branch of the Bank of Canada in Vancouver.

Strong demand appears to be building up locally for the new coins, according to the many inquiries already received at bank branches.

VANCOUVER, B.C. (BUP)—A heavy run on Vancouver banks occurred today but there was no panic.

Customers swarmed in to buy the new Queen Elizabeth coins which went on sale for the first time. Within half an hour, one bank sold \$800 worth. By noon, there was hardly a piece of the currency left in bank tills, a survey showed.



Folks say they're goin' 't git dog racin' here, but I ain't bettin' on it. Won't be bettin' on th' dogs either—unless they change th' law.

Britain views th' Korean war like a feller who's just raked himself up a big leaf pile. Don't want any huffin' an' puttin' 't spread it around.

M' friend Sandy thinks a sled makes a fiye Christmas gift fer his son. He wraps up th' same sled ev'ry year an' gives it 't him, still unused.



JULIUS ROSENBERG



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Rosenbergs Win Brief Reprieve

Judge Promises Execution Stay For Clemency Appeal to Truman

NEW YORK (BUP)—United States Federal Judge Irving Kaufman has promised to grant a stay of execution for condemned atomic spies Ethel and Julius Rosenberg. Kaufman says he will grant the stay only so they will have time to appeal to President Truman for clemency.

Judge Kaufman sentenced the Rosenbergs and denied an appeal for clemency last week. He saw Emanuel H. Block, the Rosenbergs' attorney, today.

DATE SET

Block revealed Sunday the specific date and hour set for the Rosenbergs' execution. The information was given him Saturday, he said, when he took the condemned couple's two sons, Michael, 9, and Robert, 5, to the prison to visit their parents.

The times were set by U.S. Marshal William A. Carroll, since the Rosenbergs are federal prisoners.

Reports from the prison said the Rosenbergs were not disturbed by the so far futile legal maneuvering to delay their execution and were confident their sentences would be commuted.

Meantime, six representatives of three religious groups in this country issued a joint statement charging that certain persons were urging commutation of the Rosenbergs' death sentence "as a bribe for Communist propaganda mills."

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OTTAWA (CP)—Thirty men and women who describe themselves as members of the "National Committee to Save the Rosenbergs" began a vigil before the U.S. embassy here today.

After a half-hour of marching, the group had dwindled to five men carrying placards and three women handing out leaflets to passers by.

OTTAWA MAY SHARE COAST ROAD COSTS

Sommers Expects Answer by Jan. 15

Ottawa appears to be favorable to sharing the cost of building a west coast road from Port Alberni to Tofino, Lands and Forests Minister R. E. Sommers said today on his return from the nation's capital.

Mr. Sommers said talks he had with federal authorities led him to believe there is hope of federal participation in the project.

He said he has been promised an answer by Jan. 15 as to whether Ottawa will start negotiations with B.C.

SAW CAMPNEY

Mr. Sommers, in his first Ottawa visit since taking office, interviewed the acting defense minister, Solicitor-General Ralph Campney, to see if the road could be classified as a defense project.

He pointed out to Mr. Campney that road access to the remote settlement is becoming increasingly important, especially since the CPR withdrew the Princess Maquinna from the west coast run.

The minister said Ottawa refused to consider making annual grants to B.C. for forest protection.

FIVE TIMES GREATER

Although he pointed out that the federal government's revenue from B.C.'s forests is five times greater than the provincial government's, Mr. Sommers said federal officials rejected his request.

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His remarks referred to U.S. tariffs which make the import of some British products unfeasible. More than 200 reporters and photographers crowded into the Queen Mary's veranda grill for the press conference.

As it opened, he took a few puffs on his cigar, laid it aside, and began: "I hope you've had a good year. We haven't had a bad one. The general state of health on the other side of the ocean is at least as good as it was last year."

Questioned about British atomic developments, Churchill remarked that the U.S. had not stuck to the promise made by the late President Roosevelt to exchange with Britain the "fullest information" about the atomic bomb.

"We want to be a useful partner," Churchill said. "We don't want to ask anything that would not be of common benefit."

A picket line of about 25 men and women marched outside the pier as the Queen Mary docked. They identified themselves as members of the American-Irish Minute Men of 1949.

They bore signs with slogans such as "Unite Ireland" and "England" got \$35,000,000 from the U.S.A. Pay your taxes, suckers."

Settle Strike Of Workers at Hart Dam Site

CAMPBELL RIVER—Work resumed today on the power house extension and pipe line at the Hart Dam, idle since Dec. 10 because of a dispute between three TLC unions and Campbell-Bennett Ltd., contractors.

About 150 men were affected. Agreement was reached on the week-end between Vancouver Teamsters and Operating Engineers to cover all Campbell-Bennett projects in B.C.

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